

THE WEATHER
Fair and colder tonight
Saturday cloudy and
somewhat warmer

The La Crosse Tribune

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It's "Getting Better
All The Time."

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PRICE TWO CENTS

BUT ONE NEW YORK BANK IS ADDED TO LIST OF FAILURES

FINANCIAL CONTROL WELL IN HAND—OUTLOOK IMPROVES

SMALL FAILURES ELSEWHERE

Borough Bank of Brooklyn Caught Short and Providence House Gives U Fight

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Senator Elkins, after a talk with President Roosevelt said this afternoon that a new currency law must be passed this winter to correct the evils responsible for the money panic. He says we need an elastic system, and that Roosevelt is not responsible for the panic, but that he simply turned on the light.

The First National bank of Williamsburg, suspended payment late this afternoon.

Providence Hit Again.
PROVIDENCE, Oct. 25.—A run was started this afternoon on the Industrial Trust company, owned by S. P. Colt.

Bank Closed and Silent.
BROOKLYN, Oct. 25.—The Borough Bank of Brooklyn suspended payment this morning. It failed to open its doors, and no statement was issued.

The International Trust Co., with two branches in Brooklyn, also closed its doors this morning because it was unable to secure cash.

Providence Bank Quits.
PROVIDENCE, Oct. 25.—Notice was posted on the door of the Union Trust, where a run started yesterday, announcing that payment will be suspended temporarily.

Small Bank Hit.
NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The United States Exchange bank, with capital of \$100,000, announced this morning that it would not open its doors today.

Confidence in Tone.
Despite some minor evidences of unrest, and the embarrassment of a few minor institutions, the situation has continued to improve, and financiers are in a confident mood. There is a story about that importation of gold from Europe is being arranged. The government, despite the asser-

WANTS TO SAVE ALL "GOOD TRUSTS" BUT WOULD KILL BAD

CIVIC FEDERATION WANTS COMMISSION TO DEAL WITH THEM

SHERMAN LAW TOO FIERCE

Regulation of Trusts of Its Own Sort and Railroad Rate Freedom Is Wanted.

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—The Civic Federation congress, which has been in session to devise a remedy for evils existing in the trust situation, today adopted resolutions recommending the appointment of a commission like the one in Germany, which wrestled with the same problem in 1870. The congress then adjourned sine die, after making the following recommendations:

New legislation for the regulating of the trusts; modification of the Sherman anti-trust law to relax its rigors against the "good trusts"; the enactment of laws permitting railroad carriers to make reasonable freight and passenger traffic rates.

LAST PRACTICE FOR TOMAH GAME

The La Crosse high school football team under the coaching of Prof. Benetz went through their last hard scrimmage last evening in preparation for the game here tomorrow afternoon with the Tomah Indians. The game tomorrow is not considered an exceptionally hard one, although the Indians have been in the habit of springing new tricks and their fastness will aid them against the local eleven. During the past week the team has been put through stringent practice, and the faults that caused defeat in the hands of the Spartans have been corrected with the players. Prof. Benetz has been coaching the team each night and believes the team to be in excellent condition for tomorrow's game and is confident of victory.

The practice this evening will consist of signal work and the finer rudiments of the game will be gone over.

LUSITANIA LOWERS EAST BOUND RECORDS

QUENSTOWN, Oct. 25.—The Cunard line steamer Lusitania arrived here at 9:30 this evening. It has broken the best previous eastern record. The time of passage has been 4 days 22 hours and 46 minutes.

Union Trust and the Borough bank of Brooklyn, with deposits of three million and a half. This bank paid out \$420,000 yesterday.

Morgan-Thomas Conference.
Up to 10:30 a. m. the Trust company of America had received \$4,300,000 from the sub-treasury. R. H. Thomas, president of the stock exchange, held a conference with J. P. Morgan at the latter's office.

One More Closes.

The Williamsburg Trust company, of Brooklyn, closed its doors this afternoon, being unable to cash a \$10,000 check. Frank Jenkins is president. The bank has a capital of \$1,000,000, and its liabilities are \$39,876,484.

Morgan said before leaving his office this afternoon: "Tell the people to keep their money in the banks." He said he does not think the outside banks will withdraw their balances from the New York banks.

The fifteen-minute panic on the stock exchange yesterday afternoon threatened ruin until J. P. Morgan rushed to the rescue with \$25,000,000. When money had become so scarce that brokers were frantically offering 100 per cent for loans, and were failing to get them, when Union Pacific dropped to par, Northern Pacific lost ten points in as many minutes and the bottom seemed ready to drop out of the whole market, a thin, white-faced man rushed onto the floor and shouted:

"J. P. Morgan will loan \$25,000,000 at 10 per cent."

The messenger was no other than Ransom H. Thomas, president of the exchange. At his words a cheer went up from the panic-stricken brokers which shook the roof of the great money mart. Bulls and bears forgot old feuds and fights in the joy of the moment, and not a few, with the impulse of boys, threw their arms around each other and danced.



ARTHUR I. VORYS AND SECRETARY TAFT.

ARTHUR I. VORYS, manager of the Taft boom, has this significant statement to make concerning President Roosevelt and third term talk: "The Taft movement would not have been inaugurated and would not now be prosecuted except on the assumption that the president will adhere to his resolute determination not to accept another term and except upon good grounds for the assumption."

HEAR OF PLAN FOR A NEW AUDITORIUM

SAENGERFEST COMMITTEE IS ON A NEW SCENT

WANT IT BUILT DOWN TOWN

Arrangements for Bazaar are Put off Until December, but Committees Have Been Appointed

Plans, which have been kept rather quiet are now on foot for providing a large auditorium near the business section of the city, and a committee for the Saengerfest is now at work to make the necessary arrangements.

In an interview with Alderman Gus A. Kellar, chairman of the auditorium committee, it was learned that work had been started for such a structure, and the plans he expects will be sanctioned.

The former plans of the Saengerfest committee was that they would have the use of an auditorium which would be erected in the fair grounds. It is understood that the first committee, upon learning that a permanent structure was to be erected on the fair grounds, decided that, since the structure was to be permanent, they might as well build it nearer the center of the city, where it would be available for large gatherings at any time.

Secretary John L. Ufermoehl is enthusiastic over the report of a new structure nearer the business district.

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JOHN D. PLAYS GOLF; WALL ST. WRITHES

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—While crowds of frenzied depositors, bankers and brokers surged in the financial district, John D. Rockefeller, head of the Standard Oil company, whose millions were poured out lavishly to save the situation, placidly enjoyed his customary game of golf on the links at Pocantico Hills.

Carefully detailed stories in some of the evening papers placed Mr. Rockefeller in the thick of the fray in the street; but at the hour when he was alleged to have been cheered by the crowds in front of J. P. Morgan's office, the Standard Oil chief was in reality cheering one of his own fine approaches to the fifth hole.

Mr. Rockefeller smiled cheerfully when a reporter arrived.

"Did you see that drive?" he asked. "Isn't it a beautiful day?"

PLAN TO DIVERT TRADE TO LA CROSSE

EKERN ASKS TRAIN TIME BE CHANGED

REQUEST TO RY. COMMISSION

By Making Small Change in Time of Train Trempealeau Valley People Do Shopping Here

Herman L. Ekern, Whitehall, Wis., speaker of the lower house of the Wisconsin legislature, has applied to the state railroad and rate commission for order to compel the Green Bay & Western railroad to change the time of the stub train, between Winona, Minn., and Merrillan, Wis., to give residents of Trempealeau valley an opportunity to do their shopping in La Crosse. If the order is granted, La Crosse will be placed on an equal or better footing than Winona for the trade in the Trempealeau valley.

The order will have the effect of allowing the residents of this section of Wisconsin, which commercially is the territory of La Crosse, to leave their homes, reach La Crosse, do their shopping and return in a single day. Trade, which is now diverted to Winona, will come to La Crosse, because the people directly concerned prefer to shop in this city.

While business men of La Crosse are in sympathy with the movement, commercial salesmen are opposed to the scheme because it will deprive them of the opportunity to transact business with the merchants in the Trempealeau valley towns after the train reaches these places. In view of this opposition, a compromise has been broached, which will benefit the shoppers, but cut down the time of the traveling men.

The plan of Speaker Ekern is to have the Green Bay stub train leave Winona an hour later in the evening, making connections with the North-western at Marshland. The stub train leaves Merrillan in the morning, and suitable connections can be made to bring shoppers into La Crosse.

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600 UTE INDIANS ON WARPAT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The tribe of Ute Indians, including 600 persons, which more than a year ago wandered away from their reservation in Utah and created trouble in Colorado and Wyoming by threatening to take the warpath and raid ranches, is reported to have again broken out on the Cheyenne River reservation in South Dakota, where the tribe was given temporary quarters. At the request of the secretary of the Interior the War Department today ordered troops from Meade, S. D., to the scene of the trouble.

Colonel Downs, a special agent, is at the Cheyenne River reservation, and a telegram was received from him saying that the Utes had become unruly and troops are needed. Fort Meade is about 100 miles from the reservation, and it will be necessary for the cavalry to make a cross-country "hike," as there is no railroad between the two points.

STATE TAX INCREASE REACHES \$31,404.68

LA CROSSE COUNTY MUST RAISE \$46,377.79 THIS YEAR

SCHOOL FUND RESPONSIBLE

Last Year Only \$14,973.11 Was Asked, But This Year's Figures Tell a Different Story

La Crosse county must raise \$46,377.79 in state taxes this year, \$31,404.68 more than in 1906.

County Clerk Charles Rawlinson today received the apportionment of taxes from Secretary of State James Frear, showing the amount of taxes for the various funds. A comparison with the 1906 table shows the increase.

In the school fund the largest increase is shown. Last year nothing was needed for this fund, while \$41,221.72 is asked for the educational department alone this year. A large portion of the money will be devoted to the fund for the state university, while the common, graded and high schools of the state will receive greater benefits than heretofore.

The interest on the state indebtedness, \$2,444.93, was not included in the apportionment last year. In the special school charges, distributed among the school districts of the county, a slight increase is found, but will not affect the county, because the school districts will pay the money directly to the state.

Following is a table of the tax apportionment, with a comparison with 1906:

	1907.	1906.
Interest on certificates of indebtedness	\$ 2,444.93	
For free high schools	1,939.57	
For graded schools	1,861.98	
For state university	10,002.82	
For normal schools	3,568.80	
For common schools	21,403.62	
Total	\$41,221.72	
Special County Charges.		
1907.	1906.	
For state hospital	\$2,978.64	\$2,227.46
Wisconsin school for feeble minded	1,569.78	1,539.93
Industrial school for boys	607.65	886.94
Total	\$5,156.07	\$4,654.33
Special School Charges.		
Principal interest.		
Shelby	\$100.00	\$ 14.00
Hamilton, village		
West Salem	63.25	15.50
Hamilton	200.00	21.00
Holland, Onalaska	158.66	72.19
Normal	8.00	3.64
Onalaska	100.00	10.50
Holland, Onalaska	68.00	30.94
Normal	3.43	1.56
Total, 1907	\$888.09	\$215.98
Total, 1906	\$888.09	\$255.98
Difference	\$31,404.68	

MARRIED WEDNESDAY

Carl R. Hagen, a boiler-maker, was married to Miss Lena Schultz, by Judge Brindley Wednesday evening.

OPERATORS WANT CONGRESS TO USE TELEGRAPH PROBE

CHARGE THAT MONEY WAS TAKEN FROM MAILED TELEGRAMS

RAILROADERS WON'T TIE UP

Positive Statement Made that They Will Refuse to Unite with Commercial Telegraphers

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 25.—(Special.)—The telegraphers' convention today passed a resolution appealing to congress to investigate the telegraph companies, charging that the companies during the strike have accepted paid messages to be sent by wire, and have mailed them, thus delaying them from 6 hours to 6 days, in fraud of the senders. They claim to have documentary evidence of this.

Not Much Doing.
The major business of the convention is not much nearer a settlement than it was yesterday, and a permanent deadlock is possible.

Amalgamation Impossible.
A prominent official of the railroad telegraphers' union said today that the railroad union will not amalgamate with the commercial telegraphers, even should the latter vote to do so. He says the railroad order has given financial assistance to the strikers, and has declined to send commercial stuff over the railroad wires. That is regarded as the full duty of the railroad order, and 75 per cent of the men will vote against an amalgamation.

HE WANTS TARIFF "OUT OF POLITICS"

ATLANTA, Oct. 25.—"Take the tariff out of politics," said Lieut. Gov. Lewis S. Chanler of New York, in an address at the fair today. "Divorce it from every suggestion of political manipulation. Make the raising of revenue a National, not a partisan, responsibility. The army and the navy are not fettered by politics; they are not made use of for private gain. The tariff should stand upon the same high plane, not to be made use of as a private privilege but regulated and respected as a National necessity, reduced to the lowest terms commensurate with our commercial growth and National importance."

"Let us then have a commission not composed entirely of men who are dependent upon political contributions for continuance in office. Let the people themselves be upon the bench of the court that is to pass judgment upon matters affecting their most vital interests. Out of the discussions and vast information resultant from a national tariff conference, composed of men who represent every recognized branch of American trade, commerce, labor and development, will come the light of truth."

Mr. Chanler, who is an aristocrat, and who is regarded as here beginning his anti-Bryan campaign for the democratic presidential nomination, "in the interest of the corporations," his detractors say, found some fault with the way the wheels of justice are now turning. He said the people must pay that Standard Oil fine. He said prison, not fine, must be tried, and added:

"What a farce! Nay, worse. What a tragedy to invoke the law with loud acclamations of satisfied justice, only to end by actually hurting no one except the innocent public!"

MENOMINEE, Mich., Oct. 25.—

William Korth, a prominent farmer living near this city, fell off his wagon and the rear wheel passed over his head, crushing his jaws, tearing off the left ear and causing concussion of the brain. It is thought that his injuries will prove fatal.

U.S. EXPRESS CO. AT MILWAUKEE LOSES FORTUNE BY THEFT

BETWEEN \$18,000 AND \$32,000 STOLEN FROM SAFE

OFFICIALS ARE NOT TALKING

Chicago Detectives Put to Work on Case But no Clues are Reported as Yet.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 25.—The safe in the shipping department of the United States Express company in the Union station was robbed at 1 o'clock on Wednesday morning of money in bills, estimated at from \$18,000 to \$32,000.

Office Left Unguarded.
The shipping department in which is located the safe was left unguarded while the man in charge went out of the room to receive express matter from a train. He was gone but a few minutes, and the robbers must have worked quickly, for there was nothing to arouse suspicion. It is said, until the door of the safe was found open and the loss discovered by the man who was in charge of the office.

Efforts at Secrecy.
Detectives were summoned from Chicago and put to work on the case as soon as they arrived. Officials are reticent.

VON MOLTKE ACTS BAD SAY MEDICAL EXPERT

BERLIN, Oct. 25.—Dr. Hirschfeld, the medical authority, testified in the Von Moltke trial that Von Moltke shows immoral inclinations. He created a great sensation by his testimony.

Herr Bernstein charged that the court clique of which von Moltke was a member, was guilty of secret offenses. If von Moltke is innocent, he said, no one else is, and this would seem incredible.

May Quote Bismarck.
Harden proposes to call the head of the police department to testify as to what he knows regarding Prince Philip zu Eulenberg, the ex-German ambassador to Vienna, and Lieut. Gen. Count William von Hohenau, one of the emperor's adjutants, who together with von Moltke have been mentioned by Harden as members of the so-called camarilla or "round table."

Harden will also call Prince von Buelow, the imperial chancellor, and Field Marshal Count von Hulsens-Haeseler, chief of the emperor's military cabinet.

The bench has decided to admit testimony to prove that alleged eccentricities prevailed among the friends of von Moltke. The public will be excluded from the hearings, but representatives of the press will be allowed to remain.

Army Officer Testifies.

An army officer who had served in the guard corps at Potsdam was called as a witness and testified to having taken part in excesses at the house of Count Lynar which had resulted in the dismissal from the service in disgrace of the count and Lieut. Gen. von Hohenau.

The witness said he heard that von Moltke was present at this occasion, but he thought Prince Eulenberg certainly was there.

HORRORS OF PLAGUE BESET SOUTH RUSSIAN CITY WITH VIOLENCE

VIENNA, Oct. 25.—Cholera is raging with frightful violence in southwestern Russia. The poor are dying like flies, the mortality being greatest in the cities. At Kioff the deaths average one hundred daily. Corpses are left for days in abandoned houses. The hospitals are filled, and dying people are being turned away.

WEATHER AND WATER

Weather forecasts today:
Wisconsin—Fair tonight and Saturday; cooler tonight.
Minnesota—Fair tonight with warmer west portion; Saturday increasing cloudiness and warmer.
Iowa—Generally fair east and probably showers west portion tonight and Saturday; cooler west portion tonight.
River Forecast.
The river will remain about stationary during the next 36 hours.
Water stages today:
Stage, Change.
St. Paul4.0 x0.1
Red Wing2.4 —0.1
Reeds Landing2.4 —0.1
La Crosse3.7 —0.1
Prairie du Chien4.0 —0.1
Dubuque4.3 —0.1
Le Claire2.80 —0.1
Davenport4.0 —0.2
Keokuk3.8 —0.2
St. Louis8.2 —0.2



HON. GEORGE B. CORTELYOU.

Secretary of the treasury who has bolstered the financial world with government funds and credit.

tion that small currency is plenty, today sent all it could spare of small bills to the relief of the situation. All the banks passed the clearing house today, and leaders of the banking world maintain that the new banking commission, composed of the greatest heads in the banking business and backed by the government and the great trust company and banking pool, are masters of the situation.

Pittsburg Normal.
Pittsburg is reported to have regained its equilibrium, and the troubles in Brooklyn are not of an alarming nature, shortness of cash rather than fundamental weakness being behind them.

Takes Time to Settle.
Although financial New York is convalescent and the sky rapidly clearing, so that it is confidently asserted that the worst is over it will be many days before the stock exchange banks are again on a normal basis. The hardest blow today was the suspension of the Providence

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SPORTING NEWS

FRENCH RUNNER
CLIPS THE RECORDTAKES HOUR AND 21 MINUTES
FROM SCHMEHL'S MARK

FINDS THE ROADS FAVORABLE

Albert L. Corey Succeeds in Easily
Breaking Chicago-Milwaukee
Running Record

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—Albert L. Corey, the amateur Marathon runner, as succeeded at last in breaking the running record between Milwaukee and Chicago.

The Frenchman finished at Washington street and Michigan avenue yesterday afternoon with elapsed time of 18:33:10, and though he partially collapsed as he raced over the finish line, he revived quickly and was taken into the clubhouse of the New Illinois Athletic club and given a good rubdown and some stimulants.

The best previous mark for the route of 100 miles was held by Henry Schmehl, a professional, at 19:54:00.

Corey started from Milwaukee at 9 o'clock Wednesday night and finished at exactly 3:33:10, accompanied by the three automobiles that started in to relay him through the hazardous and trying trip. There was a good sized crowd along the lake front as the Frenchman came plodding along Rush street bridge. His haggard appearance struck the spectators forcibly and, although the runner was all but spent, he sprinted the last 100 yards of the route amid a wild lot of cheering.

The roads he encountered were generally good all the way through, and the most of the suffering he experienced came from the cold night winds.

Coach Charley Wilson of the First Regiment club was with the runner all through the night and morning hours and attended in person to what he ate and drank. Corey escaped the vigilant eyes once and drank a cup of cold water. For this he suffered severely, but showing gameness, ran himself out of his cramps.

TANCEL IS MATCHED
WITH PHIL BROOK

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 25.—Eddie Tancel of Chicago and Phil Brook, Cleveland, will meet tonight in a ten-round battle.

Most people will make any sacrifice to gratify their fool streak.

Food Poisons

90 Per Cent of All Diseases the Result of Undigested Putrefying Foods.

Men of affairs, women of society and children with active brains are too often sedentary in their habits, giving little time to exercise. To this evil is added that of high and irregular living—as a result, the stomach cannot stand the demands made upon it. The abused and overtaxed stomach does not properly do the work of digestion, food taken in ferments and the poison permeates the whole system. The body loses in weight and becomes a prey for the attack of whatever disease it may encounter.

Did it ever occur to you how busy that stomach of yours is? It only holds three pints, but in one year you force it to take in 2,400 pounds of material, digest it and prepare it for assimilation into the blood. No wonder it rebels when overworked. We crowd it with steaks and pastry, irritate its juices with spices and acids, and expect the stomach to do its work. It can't do it.

All over the inner layer of the stomach are glands which secrete the juices necessary to digestion. The entrance of food into the stomach is the signal for these glands to do their work. The more the food, and the more indigestible, the greater the demand upon them and upon the muscles of the wall adjoining.

Think of the tons of high-seasoned game, sweetmeats and appetizers crammed into this little four-ounce mill, and then wonder, if you will, why you are dizzy or nauseated or constipated. Don't blame your stomach or curse your fate that you should be born so unfortunate. Blame yourself and apply the remedy.

First, get a small package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, taking one after each meal and at bed time. They are not a medicine, but a digestive. Your stomach is worn out and needs help, not medicine. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will do the work that the stomach fails to do. There's enough power in one grain of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets to digest 3,000 grains of ordinary food, so you needn't fear that anything you eat will remain in your stomach undigested.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will rout the poison because they remove the cause—food fermentation. They are nature's own cure for dyspepsia. The host of troubles dyspepsia is father of cannot be numbered, for a healthy stomach is the source of all health.

Seize your opportunity before worse conditions confront you. Send today for a free trial package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. They will bring your stomach relief. F. A. Stuart Co., 150 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.
The 50 cent size for sale at your druggist's.OSTHOFF'S PLACE
FILLED FOR GAMEWHITTAKER TAKES HIS PLACE
FOR SATURDAY CONTEST

INJURY IS NOT SERIOUS

Star Player Is Expected Back in the
Game Within a Week, According to Reports.

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 25.—Coach Hutchins and McCarthy gave the varsity an hour's signal practice at Camp Randall last night in preparation for Saturday's game against Illinois. The team ran through the signals with fair speed, and the men seemed to work well together.

Whittaker, who played sub center last year with Stiehm and came out for the same position this year until the coaches sent him to the back field, was tried at Osthoff's place at fullback and kept there during the entire practice. Great surprise was expressed among the student body, as it was generally supposed that Wilce, the big Milwaukee lad, would replace Osthoff. Whittaker has a shade the better of it over Wilce in weight and slams the line like a steam engine, but it is not certain that he will start there Saturday.

Illini Leave for Game.
URBANA, Ill., Oct. 25.—The Illinois football team left this morning for Madison to play the Badgers on Saturday. Prospects of the Illini seem excellent since the team has recovered from the depression induced by the Maroon defeat. It took work on the part of the coaches to cheer up the eleven, but they have managed to do so.

Practice on Illinois field this week has showed that the Illini learned a lot in the Maroon game. This is especially noticeable in forward passes. Now the ends or back to whom the task of securing the throws is assigned show much more skill in leaping, if necessary, to get the ball.

The Illinois squad probably will present this lineup: Baum, left end; Wham, left tackle; Van Hook, left guard; White, center; Green, right guard; Rallsback, right tackle; Dandant, right end; Sinnock, quarterback; Gardiner, left half; Brown, right half; and Pettigrew, fullback. Subs: Hull, guard; Wakeazer, Richards and McCabe, ends; Miller, tackle; Litt, fullback; and Pritchard, back.

The end and backfield makeup is indefinite. Baum's playing was a disappointment on Saturday. He has all the earmarks of a star, but played in and out, good one moment and erratic the next. Wakeazer, who who appeared in the last half, was also disappointing. If Illinois is able to defeat the Badgers, the athletic situation here will be greatly improved. The Illini rooters are tired of successive defeats. Last year Purdue was the only eleven taken into camp. Wisconsin defeated Illinois, 18 to 6, on Illinois field last year, but the eleven were about evenly matched. On this date a close game is expected. With Wisconsin out of the way, the Illini have Iowa, Indiana and Purdue for opponents and should finish in creditable fashion.

Few rooters accompanied the Illini today on account of the prohibitive rate to Madison. While the Illini are battling on the Badger field, Coach Gill's trackmen will compete in the annual fall handicap meet which is expected to give a line on athletic prospects for the year.

CHICAGO BOYS TO
GO AT DAVENPORT

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 25.—Packey McFarland and Kid Herman have been matched for a fifteen-round battle at Davenport, Ia., on Nov. 21. The fighters will get 65 per cent of the gross receipts, split 75 per cent to the winner and 25 per cent to the loser. McFarland did not hurt his hands in his successful battle with Abe Goodman at Fort Wayne, Ind., on Thursday night, and the stocky champion therefore will be able to set to work at once for his meeting with the ghetto wonder.

MILWAUKEE BANTAM
IS GOING TO EAST

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 25.—Another Milwaukee fighter is going to try his luck in the east. This time it is Young Fitzgerald. The clever little fellow has decided to leave for Philadelphia after his fight with Johnny Coulon, whether he wins or loses, and if there is not enough money in sight in the Quaker town he will settle in New York.

GANS IS OUT TO
DEFEAT SOMEONE

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 25.—Tom McCarrey has received a letter from Joe Gans, now at Baltimore, Md., suggesting a match here early next year. McCarrey is planning to match George Memsie, on whom Gans bestowed the lightweight crown, with three good boys. If Memsie can beat these opponents he will match him with Gans again.

When a man marries for money the woman seldom gets her money's worth.

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Editorial



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J. W. MOYLES, Mgr.

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THAN TWO HAND-ME-DOWN GUESSFITS

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ATTEL AND WEEKS
SIGNED FOR A "GO"

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 25.—Articles have been signed for a fight between Abe Attell and Fred Weeks of Cripple Creek for the featherweight championship of the world on Oct. 29. They will weigh in at 122 pounds ringside, stripped. Sixty per cent of the money will go to the winner and 40 per cent to the loser. Charles Eytowen will be the referee.

TONOPAH CLUB TO
MATCH SCHRECK

DENVER, Col., Oct. 25.—Al Kaufman and Mike Schreck will battle in Tonopah, Nev., on Nov. 28, in all probability. Otto Floto of this city has been selected as referee, and he has been empowered by the Tonopah promoters to arrange all details for the battle. Schreck has accepted terms.

BARLEY BRINGS
A DOLLAR HERE

Yesterday was the heaviest market day for barley. This season large amounts are being brought to the city by farmers from the entire vicinity. A majority comes from the farmers living in Minnesota. The price ranges from 90 to 95 cents per bushel, while the best class brought up to \$1 per bushel. All the barley that has been brought here up to the present is being taken up by the local breweries, which are storing it away for the present.

TOBACCO CROP LARGE

SPRING GROVE, Minn., Oct. 25.—The tobacco harvest is completed in this locality and the crop far exceeds the expectations of the farmers that have been growing it in an experimental way. The yield is estimated at about two thousand pounds per acre and is of excellent quality. Hundreds of acres of tobacco will be grown in this locality next season.

Disadvantage of the Present Mode of Millinery.



—Harper's Weekly.

PHOTOGRAPHERS
ENJOY A BOOMFALL RUSH FOR PHOTOS ABOUT
TO START

THOUSANDS SPENT ON FACES

Well Known Local Snap Shot Artist
Tells Some of the Secrets of
the Business

Business with the photographers is beginning to pick up at the present time and the indications are that local establishments will be kept on the jump from now on to keep up with the orders. This was the statement made today by one of La Crosse's leading photographers. He declared that as a general rule September is one of the poorest months in the year for business, but that it generally begins to pick up in October.

Conditions are different now from what they used to be before there was so much amateur photography. There is probably more business now for the photographers than there was before kodaks came into use, that is if they make a specialty of developing kodak pictures. The rush for this kodak work comes mostly in the summer months, particularly during July and August, when most people take their vacations. They like to get pictures of different scenes on their vacations and in the most instances they do not care to do more than pressing the button themselves, letting the photographer do the rest. This of course means a great deal of work for the photographers they did not formerly receive. On the other hand there are probably less formal sittings for pictures at studios, many persons being content to accept the kodak pictures, which if not so finely finished possess the merit of costing a good deal less and thus permitting pictures to be taken at more frequent intervals.

As showing the extent to which amateur photography is practiced the statement was made here recently that one of the firms in Minneapolis that makes a specialty of developing amateur photographic work took in over its counters during the month of August for this work \$5,000. This is only one of many firms doing a similar business in that city. In La Crosse, while no actual figures are given, it is known the business is large, although it could hardly be expected to be up to that in Minneapolis.

After the first of September the kodak work usually shows a marked

falling off and the ordinary professional photographic work is also light. The people have been away on their vacations and generally return with their spare money all spent, and until they get together a fresh supply again they usually do not spend much for photography.

While the business begins to pick up in October it is usually not until the middle of November that the Christmas rush really begins and from then until the 25th of December the photographers usually have to put in a great deal of extra time to keep up with the demand.

LANDERS TO FIGHT
WITH YOUNG ERNE

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 25.—Fred Landers and Young Erne will clash in a six-round bout before the Broadway Athletic club tonight.

AN IRISH SUPERSTITION.

Fishermen Don't Like to Meet Women
When Starting For Work.

Superstitions as to its being most unlucky to meet a woman when setting out to fish or upon any journey by sea are not uncommon. From a headland on the Donegal coast the writer was one day anxiously watching a small smack beating across the bay against a heavy sea and stiff breeze which had suddenly sprung up. After a long and hard fight for it the little craft made the pier in safety, and upon condolences being offered the skipper on his recent hardships he said: "Sure, what better luck could I have? Didn't I meet a redheaded woman in Sligo this morning the moment I left my lodging to walk down to the boat?" In this case the color of the woman's hair and the fact of her being the first person met with after the man left his house seemed to be the determining factors in the day's luck. But in other places the objection to such an encounter embraces hair of all shades and any hour of the day, it being amply sufficient to bring the ill luck that any woman should pass you by just as you are walking down to the boat. Only a few weeks ago the writer visited a small fishing village on the Galway coast and just before getting on his car to return home was chatting to the landlady of the little inn. A strapping young fisherman who was walking down the road toward the harbor suddenly stopped, climbed over the fence and made his way to his boat across the fields. The writer observed to his hostess that the young fellow must have mistaken him for a process server with a writ for him. She laughed rather derisively and said: "It's not you at all, sir, he's afraid of, but me. He's just going fishing and would not pass me by if you gave him the fill of his hat of gold."—London Chronicle.

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Encouraging.



Cholly—Before I had sat in the game ten minutes I had lost \$15; then my luck began to change.

Fred—Of course!

Cholly—Yes, and in the next two hours I only lost \$7.25, bah Jove!—Leslie's Weekly.

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VANILLA
STRAWBERRY
AND
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Poverty is not dishonorable in self, but only when it arises from idleness.—Plutarch.

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FRANK H. BURGESS.
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A. E. BLECKMAN,
Notary Public.

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THE BANKS ARE SOUND.

There is ground for solid satisfac-
tion over the developments in the
New York financial situation yester-
day. They denoted that the big
banking institutions are fundamen-
tally sound, and if the present stir
becomes responsible for the elimina-
tion from banking circles of a few
dangerously daring speculators who
have no logical place in the busi-
ness, the public will have been amply
compensated for the worry of a day
or two of suspense.

There could be no such disturb-
ances as have embarrassed a num-
ber of strong institutions this week,
were it not for this circumstance:

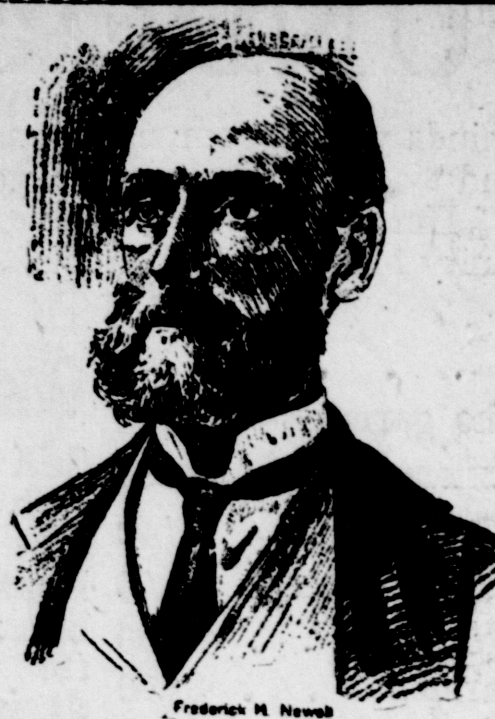
Banks do not put the money of
depositors in safety deposit vaults to
be hoarded. There would be no
money in that. They invest it, and
so sane and conservative are our
banking laws that they must use ex-
traordinary caution in their enter-
prises. The money is loaned to sub-
stantial men and institutions who in
turn invest it.

Now supposing a "run" occurs.
The bank has some of the money of
its depositors. In lieu of the bal-
ance, it has the notes and securities
of those to whom it has loaned. The
run will eat up the cash in hand.
Then the bank tries to call in its
loans. Some of them are not due,
and some are "on call," and can be
secured, but the latter class may be
but a small percentage of all. The
borrower would like to pay his
loans, to help the bank. But he, too,
has invested the money, and perhaps
cannot secure it at once. The panic-
stricken depositors never think about
that. They want their money quick.
The bank has raised all it can, so it
turns to another bank to sell the se-
curities, or loans. However, the
other bank is now confronted by a
run, or is threatened with one, and
dares not let go its cash. So with the
other banks, for financial alarm
spreads like a prairie fire.

And so, though sound and solvent
—rich, maybe—the banks of a city,
and of a nation, may be put to sore
straits by a panic for which there
was not in reason the slightest ex-
cuse. It is not the instability of the
banks, but the fright of the people,
that does the damage. Cry fire in a
crowded theater when there is no
fire. What ensues? As well call to
the falls of Niagara to stop their leap
as to attempt to quell the rush of
the terrified audience. There will
come disaster of it, and all upon a
false report.

One of the best evidences of the
strength of the present financial sit-
uation is the fact that so many
millions of money have been raised
to appease the stampeded depositors.
It was an Herculean effort, and it
has apparently won the day with less
loss and financial casualties than the
most sanguine could have hoped. The
land is rich. Industry is flourish-
ing. The farmers are enjoying un-
exampled prosperity (and after all the
farmers are the backbone of finance).
Banks that have been dishonest, or

MEN OF NOTE



Mr. Frederick Haynes Newell, who
was made chief hydrographer of the
United States geological survey de-
partment in 1888 is an important
factor in this branch of the govern-
ment service and is very familiar
with the idea of land reclamation
now being used in Washington. He
was born in Bradford, Penn., on
March 5th, 1862 and was educated
in Needham, Mass. He graduated
at the Massachusetts Institute of
Technology at Boston as a mining
engineer in 1885. Mr. Newell mar-
ried Miss Elsie Josephine Mackintosh
on April 3, 1890. He was engaged
in mining operations in Colorado
and was employed as a general min-
ing expert in various states. Mr.
Newell is well known as a writer on
engineering subjects for the techni-
cal journal.

that have been injudicious in the se-
lection of their officers, may suffer.
But there can hardly be a general
calamity.

There can be no doubt of the wis-
dom of the county board in at-
tempting to avoid the expenditure
of 20 per cent of its road funds in
hiring some one to spend the bal-
ance. This does not mean that the
board is against good roads. On
the contrary, the present organiza-
tion has made a record as favoring
every reasonable enterprise in road
building. Supervisor Hulberg has
pleased his constituents through his
activity in this direction, and As-
semblyman Valentine Kepple has
evinced a deep interest in the sub-
ject. Other supervisors are equally
keen for the scientific and economi-
cal establishment of a system of
good roads. When La Crosse coun-
ty has advanced to a point where it
is able and desirous of judiciously
spending larger sums on its roads,
it will have to have an official to
direct the work. It were folly to
hire a wood cutter and not give him
an axe.

The final appearance of Mr.
Rockefeller among those standing by
to repel boarders is inspiring. No
matter what one thinks of the man,
his money looks good in the face of
a financial stringency.

Did it ever occur to you how
cheering is the fact that La Crosse
is recognized as one of the most
sound and conservative banking cen-
ters of its size in the United States?

President Roosevelt does not con-
sider the financial situation serious.
He knows some of those fellows up
in York state.

After all these years of stirring
metaphor, the czar finds that he has
actually been sitting on a mine.

The telegraphers strike seems
farther from being brought to a
triumphant conclusion than ever.

The Von Moltke case suggests
that Berlin is likely to arouse the
jealousy of Pittsburgh.

Mr. Fairbanks announces that he
is not a candidate. Well, what of
it?

USES OF THE HAIRPIN.

(New York Globe.)
It is an excellent substitute for a
paper cutter. It will pierce a cigar
or clean a pipe. As a buttonhook,
either for boots or gloves, it is in-
valuable. In lieu of its sharper sis-
ter, the pin, seaside trippers have
been known to find it convenient for
extracting the wrinkle from its shell.
In extremities it has served as a
toothpick, horrible as it may seem,
while if a sufficient number are
used, it supplies the place of a hat-
pin.

There is another popular service
also that it performs, says the Lon-
don Chronicle. Last week at a smart
hotel in London a young lady took
up a novel, saying to the man who
carrying it round, "How far have
you got with this story?" As she
spoke she opened the book with that
pique movement which inevitably be-
trays the book marker, then putting
it down with a laugh, added: "Oh,
I was looking for the hairpin which
marked the place you had reached,
but, of course, you don't use hair-
pins."

As Usual.

"Yes," admitted a heartless legis-
lator, "I accompanied the deputa-
tion as desired and found the con-
ditions existing in the slums deplora-
ble—simply deplorable."
"They are, my dear sir," said the
expectant missionary, "and what do
you—er—propose to do about these
deplorable conditions?"
"Deplore them, my friend—de-
plore them!" was the calm rejoinder.
—Judy.

SPOTLIGHTS

Miss Bryant is indeed deserving
the title of dramatic star. Her
work last night in "Graustark" was
of the gilt edge order. This Califor-
nia beauty will need to play but few
parts like Yetteve to carve for her
a niche in the hall of dramatic fame.
She handles the part with grace and
skill, her beautiful voice falling like
music on the ear. There is but one
thing to mar the whole performance
of "Graustark," and that is that the
people of this city evidently do not
appreciate exactly what the MacLean
Bryant company are giving them at
popular prices. If they did, the La
Crosse theatre would have been
packed to the door last night. There
are so many cheap repertoire com-
panies playing throughout the coun-
try that do not deserve patronage,
but who get it, and it seems a shame
that this company, who is giving 200
per cent on the dollar should be so
lightly patronized. Tomorrow night
they play "Prince Karl," and Satur-
day, "Old Heidelberg," and the
amusement loving public of La
Crosse should certainly turn out to
see these two performances, espe-
cially at such low prices.

Dougherty Stock Co.
The above company, an excellent
repertoire attraction, will be the
show that will fill the La Crosse
theatre every night and Wednesday
and Saturday matinees of next week.



Pohluta, Toe Dancer, with Mc-
Lean and Bryant Co., La Crosse
Theatre This Week.

Oct. 28 to Nov. 2. They are the
same company that have been to-
gether one solid year without a lay-
off, having played all summer in
Wisconsin, Minnesota and Michigan
to tremendous business, and who
come highly praised by managers,
press and public, as one of the best
of popular priced attractions. The
company is composed of such well
known artists as James Dougherty,
Dave Curtis, Bob Sturdivant, Chas. H.
Vinton, Jack Dougherty, Wm. Stan-
ford, J. Grant Trombley, Art Du-
quaine, Hattie Dougherty, Burd
Bartram, Harriett Bartram and Baby
Clara Vinton. Each artist is chosen
particularly for the character for
which they are best fitted and are
giving better performances than the
more pretentious high price com-
panies. Their opening bill Monday
night is the most popular play ever
written, "A Quaker Tragedy," in 4
acts. Popular prices 10c and 25c.
Matinees Wednesday and Saturday
at 10c. Ladies free Monday night
under usual conditions.

Nobody's Claim.

"Nobody's Claim" which will be
seen at the La Crosse theatre, Sun-
day matinee and night, only, has
been breaking records in all the first
class theatres in the east and west
during the past five seasons, and
this, its sixth year, bids fair to break
many more if its popularity keeps on
the boom. It is a play that will
please all classes, men, women and
children, as there is interest and en-
tertainment for all. The company
carries a number of vaudeville peo-
ple and high class specialties are in-
troduced during the action of the
play.

PAGEANTS INSTEAD OF FAIRS.

(Springfield, Mass., Republican.)
The pageant area idea is one that
we might well bear in mind in this
country, particularly with reference
to our innumerable national and in-
ternational expositions, which have
a certain kinship with the English
pageant. In England a Jamestown
celebration would probably have taken
the form of a week's pageant, and
every one would have been com-
pletely satisfied. Here, in order to
celebrate the settlement at James-
town, we spend millions of dollars
building up a tremendous exposition
that lasts four or five months and
ends with a deficit. In a year or two
Seattle is to enjoy itself in this man-
ner, and New Orleans is joyously an-
ticipating the opportunity to cele-
brate the building of the Panama
canal with a stunning big fair. If
the government could only appropri-
ate the pageant area idea and re-
strict these fairs to a certain reason-
able number within a certain period
of time within certain definitely de-
limited territorial sections of our
great and glorious country, what a
gain and a saving might there not
be?

The Candid Waiter.

"Do you keep good honest goods
here?" asked the fussy old man in
the cafe.
"Well, sir," responded the waiter,
"the whiskey's straight, all right, but
to be candid with you, I think the
pretzels are crooked."—Cleveland
Leader.

FASHION HINTS

(By May Manton.)



5798 Child's Rompers,
2, 4 and 6 years.

Common sense applied to child-
ren's clothing is one of the later de-
velopments for which the rising gen-
eration has cause to be thankful.
Wise mothers of today provide their
little ones with just such garments
as this one that can be slipped on
either over the frock or over the un-
derclothing and which allow abso-
lutely free and untroubled move-
ment, leaving the child to be happy
to its heart's content, and the moth-
er free from annoying considera-
tions of spoiled or solid clothing.
The Rompers in this instance are
made of checked gingham trimmed
with white, but linen, chambray,
and all sturdy materials of the sort,
are appropriate. For the boys khaki
cloth often is used, giving a dis-
tinctly masculine effect that is apt
to be appreciated at even an early
age. The essential requirement,
however, is durability, and what-
ever means that is suitable.

The Rompers are made with yoke
at the front to which the full por-
tion is attached and a separate body
portion and drawers at the back.
The body portion is closed at the
back while the drawers are buttoned
into place at the sides. There is the
patch pocket that means conveni-
ence and comfort, and there are
sleeves that are full enough to be
slipped on over those of the frock,
yet by no means clumsy. A flat
round collar finishes the neck, and
a belt adjusts the fulness at the
waist line.

The quantity of material required
for the medium size (4 years) is 3
yards 27 or 2 1/2 yards 36 inches
wide, with 1 yard of 27 inches wide
for belt, collar and cuffs.

The pattern 5798 is cut in sizes
for children of 2, 4, and 6 years of
age and will be mailed to any ad-
dress by the Fashion Department of
this paper on receipt of ten cents.
(If in haste send an additional two
cent stamp for letter postage which
insures more prompt delivery.)

QUIPS AND CRANKS AND WANTON WILES

They Crowd Satan.

"You reckon this fault-finding
brethren go to heaven?"
"Some of 'em will have to. The
other place is too full of them."—
Atlanta Constitution.

Energetic.

The Mother—If he proposes today,
tell him he must speak to me. If he
doesn't propose, tell him I want to
speak to him!—Fliegende Blaetter.

When Nat Goodwin Was the Bell.

"My rubber," said Nat Goodwin,
describing a Turkish bath that he
once had in Mexico, "was a very
strong man. He laid me on a slab
and kneaded me and punched me and
banged me in a most emphatic way.
When it was over and I had gotten
up, he came up behind me before my
sheet was adjusted, and gave me
three resounding slaps on the bare
back with the palm of his enormous
hand."

"What in blazes are you doing?"
I gasped, staggering.
"No offense, sir," said the man.
"It was only to let the office know
that I was ready for the next bath-
er. You see, sir, the bell's out of order
in this room."—Everybody's.

The Cat Out of the Bag.

Little Harold—Mamma!
Mamma—Yes, child?
L. H.—L. you still think that if I
ate some of that pie in the closet it
would make me sick?
Mamma—I certainly do, dear.
L. H.—But it didn't.—Brooklyn
Life.

Clever Scheme.

"My new play is sure to make a
hit," said the popular actress. "It
gives me an opportunity to display
twenty new gowns."
"My!" exclaimed her friend. "How
many acts?"
"Only four, but in one of them
the scene is at the dressmaker's."
—The Catholic Standard and Times.

Striking Its Gait.

"What are they going to do with
that racing drama?"
"Why, of course, put it on for a
run."—Baltimore American.

Known by the Smell.

"What's baby so pleased about,
Katie?" asked the grandmother.
"Oh, his mamma and papa are
coming!" replied Katie, the nurse.
"I don't see them, Katie!"
"Nor I, ma'am. But the baby's
nose is very keen. He smells the au-
tomobile, ma'am!"—Yonkers States-
man.

The Fright He Got.

Marks—Say, old man, did I ever
tell you about the awful fright I got
on my wedding day?
Parks—S-sh! No man should
speak like that about his wife.—M.
A. P.

THE GIANT'S STRENGTH

BY BASIL KING

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"There's no question about that.
And yet the man who robs Peter and
expects to benefit mankind by pay-
ing Paul can't do what you call good
to any one."

"Still," she argued, "if Paul has
been fed and clothed and educated,
you've added something to the total
of human happiness."

"Not when you've left Peter hun-
gry and naked and brutalized, and
tricked of the means that were hon-
estly his. That's the spectacle to
which some of our great philanthro-
pic financiers are treating us—and
the angels who look on must often
be in doubt as to whether to laugh
or to weep."

"It seems to me cruel to say that,"
she said, flushing still more deeply.
"So it is. But it's only the cruelty
inherent in the situation when
Paul reflects on the charity offered
him through the robbery of Peter."

"Does he often do that?"

"Perhaps not often, but he'll
learn."

"When?"

"When the American people have
begun to judge by standards of right
and wrong, rather than by those of
material success."

"Then we shall have a long time
to wait."

"If it's too long, there may be a
short way taken—that is, if we may
judge by analogous situations in his-
tory. When moral progress is too
slow to right intolerable wrongs, the
human race has a way of appealing
to the fire and the sword."

"Do they gain anything by that?"

"You've only to look about you and
see. The France you're living in
may be bad enough, but it's heav-
en itself compared to what it was
before the Revolution."

"I presume you are not foretell-
ing a similar revolution for us?"

"Not if our moral forces develop
themselves, as they should, not if
we can supplant our love of mere
brutal business by an appreciation
of the simpler, holier elements in
life; not if the rich man would be
content with his own flock and
herd, without snatching the poor
man's one ewe-lamb. Then, Miss
Trafford, there'd be no new Ameri-
can revolution. But if—"

"But if these signs and wonders
don't come to pass?"

"I'm neither a pessimist nor a
prophet," she smiled. "I see only
that when Louis XIV. laid the first
stone of his chateau at Versailles he
started the train of events which
drove the French people into setting
up the guillotine. I read the same
moral among every people on earth,
where there has been a heaping-up
of wealth and privilege for a few,
while the many find it harder and
harder to exist."

"And it is that heaping-up of
wealth that you take me to stand
for?"

There was no indignation in her
tone. In her expression there was
only the look of pathetic interroga-
tion he had caught in her portrait.
Winship met her gaze calmly and
frankly. Whatever he felt inwardly,
the appeal of her helplessness did
not make him flinch. He meant that
she should understand his view of
her position.

"The daughter of a great house,"
he said, "stands for that house, in
its good and its evil. Iphigenia
couldn't be other than an Atreides,
though she herself was innocent
enough. Madame Elizabeth couldn't
be other than a Bourbon, though she
herself could never have done wil-
fully wrong to any one. And Miss
Paula Trafford—no, no," he broke
off, "I won't say it."

"Please!" she begged. "Please! I
insist."

"Miss Paula Trafford," he went
on again, "comes of a race that has
had a giant's strength, and has used
it like a giant! There! I've of-
fended you, and we've been such
good friends till now! Tomorrow
this will have gone to the Salon, and
our association together will be over.
You will have your portrait, and I
shall have—"

"What?" she questioned. "You
will have—what?"
"I shall have the joy of having
painted it. It will go where I shall
probably never see it; but it will re-
main my work. As long as it ex-
ists, it will present you as I've seen
and known and understood you.
That's a part of the artist's recom-
pense that he can never lose. Nothing
could take away from Pygmalion the
glory of having created Galatea."

"But Galatea came to life for
him."
She stopped abruptly, biting her
lip. She had spoken without weigh-
ing the significance of her words.
The color that came and went in
her cheek called forth a dark flush in
Winship's as, for the first time, they
stood looking at each other in emo-
tion they made no effort to conceal.
The silence that followed seemed to
throb with what could not be spoken.
"She will always live for me," he
said, with a slight gesture towards
the portrait.

"Yes—as the woman who could
never disassociate herself from the
wrong inflicted by one class upon
another."

"Couldn't she?"
Winship's tone was lower, and he
drew near her, looking down into her
clear eyes.

"That's for you to judge," she
murmured faintly.

"How?"
"I was wrong," she said, sum-
moning all her strength to speak
boldly; "I was wrong when I said
that Galatea came to life. Pygma-
lion prayed the gods to bestow life
on her. It was his prayer that
wrought the miracle."

"Which means," he said, slowly,
drawing nearer still, "that if I pray-
ed—"

"The gods might hear you," she

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finished, softly, turning her eyes
away.

"But if the call into life meant
for Galatea the coming-down from
her golden pedestal?—if it meant
sacrifice?—renunciation?—the shar-
ing of a poor man's life?"

"Roger! Quick! Come here!"

Marah's voice had the sharp ring
that belongs to intense moments of
existence. Winship rushed to his
mother's side. Paula followed slowly.

Mrs. Winship had lifted herself in
her chair and was sitting upright.
Her arms were out-stretched and her
hands raised. Her arms were out-
stretched and her hands raised, as
though in supplication. The sight-
less eyes seemed to be looking
straight into heaven.

"Roger!" she called, in a loud,
clear voice.

"Yes, mother, I'm here." He sel-
ed her hand in both of his.

"Paula!"

The voice was weaker now, but
the left hand seemed to beat the air,
feeling for a response. Paula clasp-
ed the trembling fingers to her
breast.

Slowly, feebly, and with the last
act of earthly strength, the dying
woman drew the two hands to-
gether.

"Pardon!" she murmured.
Neither Paula nor Winship glanced
at each other. They lost thought
for what was happening to them-
selves, in the sight of the passage
of a soul. When their hands met,
it was with a firm, instinctive clasp.
"Love!" the mother sighed again,
and fell back among the pillows.

(To be Continued.)

BEGGARS ORGANIZE.

(Providence Journal.)

According to the British Medical
Journal, the most remarkable trades
union in the world is in the south
of France. At a meeting of the
lame, the halt and blind who solicit
contributions from the public, re-
cently held at Marseilles, an organ-
ization was formed for suppressing
an unqualified practice—the en-
croachment of pretenders. At first
blush it would appear that such a
movement should be encouraged.
Beggings, individual and allied,
seems to be necessary and, perhaps,
it should be conducted systematic-
ally and in accordance with the up-
to-date order of things generally. But
our stock of fairly satisfactory ex-
cuses for holding on to our own and
refusing to be charitable has never
been any too large, surely, and if
every mendicant who approaches
presents a union card and we can-
not excuse ourselves on the ground
that we are doubtful about the genu-
ineness of the cork legs or sightless
eyes or amputated arms it is evi-
dent that the drainage of our re-
sources will increase rather than
diminish our present embarrass-
ments.

One on Duty.

"After all, you know," said Dub-
ley, "a man is only as old as he
feels."

"Yes?" replied Wise. "How about
the fellow who feels like a two-
year-old?"—

NORTH SIDE NEWS

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NORTH SIDE WILL HAVE CITY MISSION

A. E. VELLE WILL BE SUPT. OF NEW VENTURE

RELIGIOUS MEETINGS DAILY

Will Be Greatly Assisted By His Son
Oscar, Who Has Gained Reputation as Boy Minister

A North Side mission is soon to be started and in all probability will be in readiness for business some time during this week. A. E. Velle, under whose supervision the mission will be run, has two or three sites in view, but has not made any selection as yet. In all probability it will occupy the vacant store building on the southeast corner of Rose and St. Cloud streets.

The mission will be under Mr. Velle's supervision and he will be assisted to some extent in his work by Superintendent Ivey from the City mission down town. Services will be held at the mission hall every evening at 7:30 as well as a number of street meetings during the week. The street meetings will no doubt be held until cold weather. On Sundays at 10 a. m. Holiness meetings will be held and children's meetings will occur at 2 p. m. every Saturday.

Mr. Velle will be assisted, to a great extent in his work by his son, Oscar, who is known throughout the state as the boy preacher. Oscar Velle is but 12 years old, but has obtained a name for preaching that is to be envied by older men in the business.

DUBUQUE MAN CRUSHED BY CARS

Samuel Skemp, a well known employee of the Milwaukee shops at Dubuque, met death in a horrible manner in the railroad yards at the shops Wednesday evening while he was enroute to his work in the round house of the shops. He was crushed between the bumpers of two freight cars and almost instantly killed, living but a short time after the accident happened. He was known by a large number of La Crosse railroad men.

Skemp was employed at the round house of the Milwaukee road in the capacity of day hostler of engines and it was his duty to test every engine sent from the round house. On the evening of the accident, he quit work a little early and went home to supper, expecting to test an engine after supper. When he was turning to work he found that the only place through which he could get to the round house was on the crossing and that two freight cars were standing about two feet apart, but over the crossing. He had just stepped between the two cars when the engineer of a switch engine, who was switching some cars about in the yards, attempted to make a coupling between the two cars on the crossing and they crashed into each other, crushing Skemp between the bumpers and crushing the middle of his body in a horrible manner.

ENTERTAINS AT A SIX O'CLOCK DINNER

Mrs. Annie Egan of 1606 Wood street entertained at a six o'clock dinner Thursday in honor of Mrs. Slemore of Spokane, Wash. A large number was present and all enjoyed a good time.

GILLETTE IS FOUND GUILTY

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Dr. Walter R. Gillette, former vice-president of the Mutual Life Insurance company, was found guilty of perjury in the third degree. This was the first conviction resulting from the legislative investigation into insurance affairs. The maximum penalty is ten years' imprisonment, but the verdict was accompanied with a recommendation for mercy.

SUDDEN STOP IS RUINOUS TO CARS

BOX CAR CRUMBED IN THE MILWAUKEE YARDS

CONDUCTOR IS SHAKEN UP

Confused Switchman Throws Switch the Wrong Way and to Prevent Smash Engineer Stops Short

Two empty stock cars were nearly demolished in the Milwaukee yards this morning, the cause being the sudden stopping of the train.

A train of "empties" was coming through the yards at a fairly good rate of speed when a switchman became confused and threw a switch in such a way that if the train had hit it, it would have been derailed. Engineer Murphy saw the condition just in time and threw on the emergency brakes. The sudden stopping caused two of the cars to double up. One split square in two, while the other was only partly broken.

Conductor Jones, who was in the caboose at the time, was thrown into the corner and was considerably shaken up.

"Q" SLASHES TIME

TWO HOURS CUT FROM DENVER TIME

Notice Is Served on Other Western Roads

Local officials of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad have been informed officially that the running time of the western division, between Chicago, Ill., and Denver, Colo., will be cut two hours, to allow the fast Denver train to leave Chicago at 1 p. m., instead of 9:25 a. m., and arrive in Denver at 6 p. m. the following day or thereabouts. Notice of the change has been served on all other western railroads.

During a conference of the Burlington officials in Chicago, last week the entire western schedule was taken up for discussion and several changes planned, of which the reduction in time on the western division is the first. It is claimed that the action of the Burlington is due to the prestige, which was formerly held on the Denver division, and was lost later when the running time was lengthened.

Presidents of Western roads last June entered into an agreement to lengthen the time of all passenger trains between Chicago and the Missouri river, Chicago and Denver and Chicago and the Pacific coast. This was done only after first one road and then another was asked to give up some advantage which it had held in certain matters. At that time the Burlington's fast Chicago-Denver train made the run in twenty-eight hours and that road claimed to have the cream of the trade.

Under the agreement it was compelled to slow down the running time to thirty-four hours, which necessitated a change in the leaving time at Chicago of their fast train from early afternoon to early morning. This change it is stated, disastrous to the Burlington's Chicago-Denver business.

SENTENCED FOR ROBBING BOX CAR

Rudolph Rohland went before Judge A. H. Snow in the district court at Winona yesterday afternoon and told the judge that he was ready to enter a plea of guilty to the charge of having stolen two sacks of flour from a Milwaukee box car on the night of March 6, 1907, and that he had no reason to give why he should not be sentenced.

Rohland was sentenced to a term of thirty days in the county jail and he is now serving his time.

Rohland was arrested soon after the robbery in company with a man named Rogalia and both were taken into the municipal court. Rogalia was held on the charge while the case against Rohland was dismissed. Rogalia entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail.

Genius prevents a man from doing the wrong thing at the right time.

BURLINGTON MAY GET DOUBLE TRACK

ARE BUILDING MANY SIDE-TRACKS ENROUTE

RAILROADS SEE GOOD SIGN

Believe the Hill Road is Planning on Double Tracking to St. Paul in Near Future

Extensive improvements have been made by the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railway company along the Northern division, between Savanna, Ill., and Minneapolis, Minn., leading many railroad men to believe that the road plans a double track between Chicago and the Twin Cities and that the preliminary work has been started. For several years the Burlington has desired a double track between the two cities, where travel is heavy, and it is believed the first steps to bring this about has been started.

For the last two or three years, the problem has received consideration at the hands of the board of managers, but the work was delayed. With long side tracks, it is believed the expense of double tracking the division would not be heavy.

Additional trackage is being installed in the vicinity of Prairie du Chien, Wis., and other points south of La Crosse, which leads railroad men to believe that the double track is a possibility and that the Burlington will enter into more active competition with the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road for the Twin City-Chicago traffic. With a double track better service can be given, while the passengers will appreciate the improvement toward safety from accident. The Milwaukee road has a double track to the Twin Cities, the last link of the chain being put in this year, from La Crosse to St. Paul on the River division.

The railroad officials also look to the west for a continuation of the boom times, meaning more freight trains, and longer ones. Better facilities for handling these trains and the additional freight are needed by the Hill roads, for the Burlington is barely large enough to carry out the thousands and thousands of tons of merchandise which are brought into the Twin Cities by the other two Hill roads, the Northern Pacific and Great Northern.

This problem also probably has impelled the Burlington officials to build a double track. The freight and passenger accommodation problems each are pressing the officials, which in view of the low expense because of the long side-tracks now available for double track purposes, may lead to the double trackage of the division of which La Crosse forms the headquarters.

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT IS GIVEN SANCTION

The jury at the Franklin club last evening decided that capital punishment was not wrong.

The judges were H. L. Taylor, D. G. Whyte and R. Stephenson, and they rendered a verdict of two for the negative and one for the affirmative.

The question was, "Resolved, that Capital Punishment is Wrong."

The affirmative side of the question was debated by Prof. H. G. Hayden, Paul W. Mahoney and W. E. Barber, and the negative side of the question, which debated that capital punishment was inconformity with the laws and entirely proper, was upheld by David L. Wartinbee, Prof. Harry Spence and George F. Flynn.

There was a large attendance and the meeting proved very interesting. There will no doubt be a large attendance next Thursday evening, when the club will entertain at a mock trial.

The man to be tried is C. C. Looney, assistant postmaster, who is charged with deserting the North side and moving to the South side. The International Trust Co., with two branches in Brooklyn, also closed its doors this morning because it was unable to secure cash.

NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

E. W. Schulze of the Charles street meat market, is ill at his home at 1202 Charles street.

Call up 785-A with your items. Mrs. Margaret Cagle and family have gone to Vermillion where she was called by the serious illness of her mother.

Miss Agnes Knight, 2132 Wood street, has gone to Dubuque, Ia., where she will visit for some time with relatives and friends.

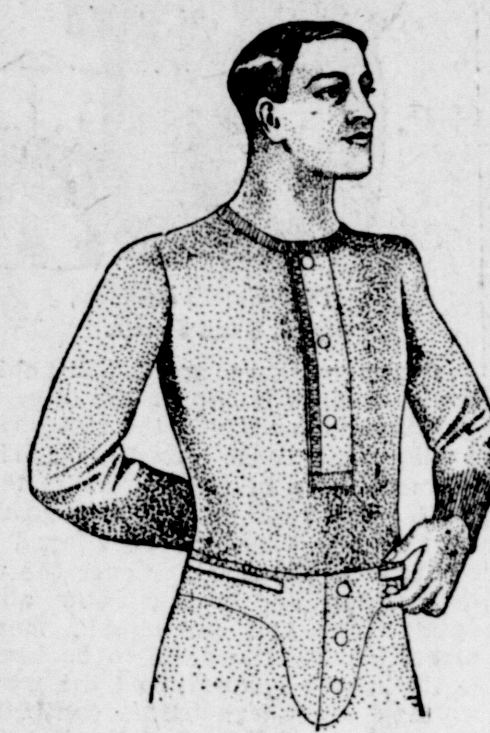
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Van Kirk of Sparta, Wis., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Greenman, 208 Caledonia street.

Eugene Collins, wife and daughter, Rachel, are guests at the home of G. H. Welch, 1648 Avon street. Mr. and Mrs. Collins are well known among the people of the North side, having lived here a number of years ago. They are at present on their way to Washington, where Mr. Collins has interests in the lumbering business. He also has large interests in the lumbering business in the state of Arkansas. They intend making their home in the state of Washington and will leave for there the last of this month.

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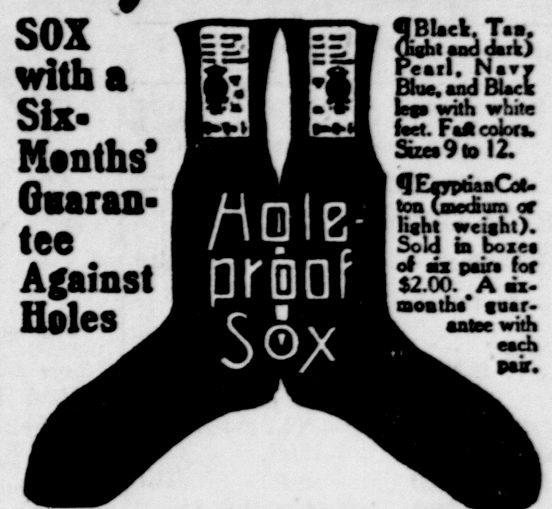
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BUT ONE NEW YORK BANK ADDED TO LIST OF FAILURES

(Continued from Page One.)

In an instant the money ring was smashed. The panic was over. Loan rates tumbled from 100 to 10 per cent. Stocks bounded upward from five to six points in a single quotation. Union Pacific jumped instantly back to 106, Reading from 70 1/2 to 75, Northern Pacific from 100 1/2 to 106, and the whole list followed rapidly after Mr. Morgan's \$25,000,000 was offered on the stock exchange.

Rockefeller Also to Rescue.

That Morgan's offer followed action by J. D. Rockefeller made him prominent as a reassuring factor in a greatly disturbed financial world. Rockefeller directed his bankers and brokers to make all loans at 6 per cent—4 per cent under the rate charged by the Morgan pool. Mr. Rockefeller's action was taken to mean that he was prepared to lend the weight of the Standard Oil millions to aid in clearing a disastrous outlook.

This much needed assistance came after it had been announced semi-officially that Standard Oil has \$55,000,000 in cash available for immediate use wherever it is most needed. Of this total \$30,000,000 already has been put out, it was said, and it was stated that the United States Steel corporation had \$50,000,000 cash available.

The panic began late, just before the close, and was all over in ten minutes. Thereafter trading, though



JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER.

Oil magnate who has thrown millions into the breach to check the money disturbance.

extremely feverish, was at or near the levels of the forenoon. The Steel issues, which were exceptionally steady all day, were the leaders, the common reading 24 and the preferred \$3 1/2.

It Looks Better.

The summing up of the situation in the minds of financial leaders

was reassuring. Mr. Morgan, when he left the offices, said:

"I regard the situation with hopefulness. The situation, in fact, is well in hand. I look for no more trouble, but if anything unexpected should break out we are quite prepared to meet it. Each day is a day nearer the end of the troubles. I have talked over the situation with several bankers and others, and I think I can safely say to you that they have the same opinion."

While Mr. Morgan was in conference on the corner of Wall and Broad streets, Secretary Cortelyou was meeting several bankers in the sub-treasury across the street. His first caller was George W. Perkins, who acquainted him with Mr. Morgan's plan of action for the day.

When Mr. Perkins left the sub-treasury he said:

"Things are working out nicely. Confidence is being restored and everything will turn out all right. The banks are in a solvent condition."

Statement by Harriman.

Edward H. Harriman made public the following statement:

"The foundation of our business enterprises is sound and the fair treatment of such interests and big and quick action on the part of the United States treasury will induce the return of money to its natural channels and relieve the situation."

Mr. Cortelyou appeared much more cheerful and declared that he believed the situation was well in hand. "Things look very good," he declared, "and I do not think my presence will be required here many days longer. I will certainly be here tomorrow, because I have an engagement which would have necessitated my presence in the city even if the present trouble had not arisen."

Fish Thinks All Is Rosy.

Stuyvesant Fish was another caller in the sub-treasury. When asked what he thought of the situation, he said:

"I have only just returned from the west, so am not quite as well posted as others. I think, however, that Secretary Cortelyou is doing splendidly, and all that he possibly can to alleviate the trouble, and that the situation is improving."

Some Runs.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 25.—The run on the Union Trust company was caused by the connection of Marsden J. Perry, president of the Union Trust company, with the Trust company of America.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 25.—The Fisheries company, a corporation which is the principal factor in the Menhaden Fishing industry, with offices in this city, was declared insolvent and temporary receivers were appointed. Joseph F. Harton of Philadelphia, the millionaire iron merchant, is president of the company.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 25.—An involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed in the federal court for the Southern Steel company. Capital, \$25,000,000.

RIVER LIGHTS TO GO OUT NOV. 15

The government lights on the upper river will be put out on Nov. 15, which is the official closing of the season of navigation. This, however, does not mean that no more boats will be seen on the river after that date, but the insurance on the steamers ceases after the official close of navigation. The small packet lines expect to continue to operate their boats until the snow flies or until they are compelled to stop on account of floating ice.

Read the Tribune's Want Ads.

TAKE UP SEARCH FOR MISSING GIRL

ALMA EVENSON GONE SINCE EARLY IN JANUARY

VANISHED ON A COLD NIGHT

But Relatives, Refusing to Believe She Perished, Ask Police to Help Find Her

La Crosse police, as well as authorities at Black River Falls, the Twin cities and other points in the northwest, have been asked to seek the whereabouts of Miss Alma Evenson, 19-year-old daughter of Mr. A. O. Evenson of Pleasant Valley, north of here.

Miss Evenson is a young lady of about 19 years and from August last until January was employed as a domestic in the home of Will Hall, near Alma Center. She was of good character, strictly attentive to her duties, economical, and not inclined to absent herself from her place of employment.

On the night of January 22, one of the coldest nights of last winter, Miss Evenson stepped out of doors at the home of Mr. Hall and from then until now has not been heard from. Search was taken up the following morning. She was tracked in the snow to within a short distance of Alma Center, and then all trace was lost. Where she spent the remainder of that cold night, and how she got out of the country without being seen or heard from, remains a mystery.

There are no creeks or rivers within several miles where she could have been drowned, and every foot of the country for miles around has been gone over in the past season, so that had she been frozen to death her body would surely have been discovered.

The most reasonable theory seems to be that her departure was premeditated on her part, and that she carried out her plan of going to distant points undiscovered. Her trunk was left in her room all packed with her clothing and personal property, but has never been sent for by her. She had about \$60 in her possession at the time she left. She had frequently expressed a wish that she might go to some large city to find employment. In all probability she waited until she had money in hand for her expenses and quietly decamped. What reason she had for desiring to go secretly, and why she has failed to communicate with her aged father is unknown. Why she left her trunk and a small sum due her for wages is also a mystery. It is quite probable that she spent the night at the home of some friend whom she had enjoined to secrecy, and then took a train from Alma Center or Merrillan without being observed by any who knew her.

Her father after waiting several months in deep anxiety, daily hoping to receive some word from his missing daughter, has now asked that others assist him in finding where she is. The police departments of several cities have been asked to discover her if possible, friends have been written to, and every source of possible information has been sought.

A man is not charitable because he feels like giving ice in January and coal in August.—Chicago Tribune.

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LANSING NEWS

Conductor Gus Simonsen of North La Crosse, who was injured Monday by falling from a Burlington freight train, was formerly a Lansing boy and married a Lansing girl.

A number from here will attend the dance at Village Creek Friday evening.

Miss Emma Buck of New Albin was a visitor in Lansing Tuesday.

Thos. Tuay, an engi eer on the Great Western, with headquarters at Dubuque, is reported very sick at Ferryville, Wis., where he was on a visit. Mr. Tuay is well known here.

There are some thirty odd launches in Lansing and vicinity.

Miss Eva Fitzpatrick, who was found wandering about the streets of La Crosse some weeks ago, apparently out of her mind, and who was brought home for a rest, was again taken to that city the first of the week for treatment. The temporary derangement is thought to be the result of overstudy, as she worked exceptionally hard at her studies during her last year in school, and her immediate entrance to the W. B. U. at La Crosse did not help her.

Her father accompanied her and it is the hope of her many young friends that she will receive permanent relief.

J. C. Brophy has had charge of the dray during Mr. Fitzpatrick's absence in La Crosse on business.

It is said here that Capt. Hire, the well known river man who has been confined in the state insane asylum for some months, is not insane, but is a paralytic. He was one of the best pilots on the great waterway and a magnificent specimen of manhood.

Two young boys at Waukon, Wayne and Willard Martin, were squirrel hunting recently and one of the boys was accidentally shot in the leg. The boys were practicing at a mark when the accident occurred.

The Waukon papers report considerable petty thievery going on in the stores there. Pipes, post cards and small articles of all kinds disappear at a marvelous rate.

Mr. and Mrs. Nell Coyle of Village Creek, former resident here, have again taken up their residence in Waukon.

Dick Whaley, who was sentenced to Anamosa for one year last fall for throwing a rock through the window of the Larson house, was discharged last week, having served eleven months and getting one month off for good behavior, says a Waukon paper.

Chas. Wagner was over to the county seat this week on Yeomen business.

Messrs. Munz and Bohrer were over to Waukon on business Thursday.

Friends here sympathize with L. O. Larsen of Taylor in the loss of his son, who died in St. Paul on the 10th. He was a member of the St. Paul police force and the remains were interred in the Dalby cemetery. Death resulted from necrosis of the bone.

M. Allai is now sole owner of the Lansing Produce Co., his partner, L. Kopp, retiring from the business. The concern is doing a good business buying in the neighborhood of \$2,000 worth of poultry monthly.

One of the fastest gasoline boats ever seen in these waters was that which came here Sunday from Wisconsin—the Black Beauty—owned by Mr. C. Gardner of that city. The little craft made the run from La Crosse here, a distance of 42 miles, in one hour and fifty-five minutes.

Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Crowder have been spending the week with Judge and Mrs. Fellows, coming from their home at Waverly, this state. Rev. Crowden occupied the Presbyterian pulpit last Sunday morning. He has been returned to Waverly for the ensuing year by the M. E. conference which just convened.

Miss Anna Coyle was a La Crosse visitor Tuesday, going up to meet her sister.

Con Spinner bagged three 'coons on a recent trip to the woods.

Supervisor Rema was a visitor in town this week.

Green lumber is being shipped to Chicago by the box factory people.

Father Brady of La Motte was a guest of Rev. Father Haxmeier the past week.

Miss Lora Aird has gone to Rugby, N. D., where she will teach school.

Mrs. B. L. Finks is visiting in Iowa City with her son and will remain away all winter.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Guider of Lafayette are jubilant over a recent visit of the stork to their home.

Mrs. Christensen of Waukon has been a guest of the N. A. Nelson home this week, prior to her departure for Chicago where her sons reside, and which city will be her future home.

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a former resident of Lansing, arrived Monday for a visit under the parental roof in this township.

Phil Roggensack came down from North La Crosse Saturday for a brief stay in the old home.

The Woodruff farm has been sold to Chas. Kerstein.

Ole Jacobson, formerly located at New Albin, in the jewelry business, is employed now by Edw. Julson of this place. He will locate here permanently.

The high school football team is limbering up for business and practice daily on the ball grounds.

Mrs. Jas. McMeary of the English Bench was in Lansing Wednesday.

LANSING NEWS

Mrs. Chas. Tillotson of South Lansing is very ill and grave fears are entertained for her recovery.

The Ladies Birthday club met with Mrs. B. F. Thomas Thursday afternoon, the occasion being the opening of a series of such gatherings which will be held during the coming winter. The members are: Mesdames G. W. Metcalf, B. F. Thomas, A. M. Fellows, G. E. Robertson, T. F. Bakewell, H. J. Metcalf, G. F. Peacock, Evans, Ray and A. C. Gauntly.

Miss Schenck of South Dakota is a guest of Mrs. Jas. Hartley.

Miss Hilda Severson entertained the ladies of the Norwegian church Thursday afternoon.

Poultry prices are soaring skyward at the county seat, it is said, owing to competition between the Bickell Co. and a rival.

Veterans of the 12th Iowa in this vicinity will be grieved to learn of the death of Henry Rangis, the color bearer of the regiment. He died at his home at Fayette last week of cancer from which he had suffered for several years.

The October term of court will convene on Monday next at Waukon with Judge Fellows presiding. All together the calendar is made up of 141 cases, divided as follows: Probate 31, state 6, old civil 86, new civil 21.

Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Henry Hanson, occurred the marriage of Miss Maude Hanson and Mr. John Bieber. Rev. Elliker performed the ceremony.

At North McGregor the other day a locomotive suddenly left its stall in the round house on its own accord and before it could be overhauled it plunged into the turntable pit and landed nearly upside down.

Mrs. H. Nielander is at Waukon this week visiting friends.

The death of Harmon, the little son of Prof. and Mrs. Arthur Wilson occurred at the family home in Aberdeen, Washington, on Saturday last, due to diabetes. The professor was a candidate for county superintendent of schools a year ago and became very well acquainted here during the campaign.

The public school building had a narrow escape from destruction by fire Wednesday. The fire started on the roof and but for the timely action of Janitor Koehn the building would have gone up in smoke.

DAKOTA, MINN.

Mrs. Geo. Purdy has returned after visiting relatives in Austin.

Miss Mae Peters is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peters.

Mrs. Lee is confined to her bed by a serious attack of rheumatism.

Mr. Marion Miller was a caller in town Wednesday evening.

Dr. Wilson has purchased the residence on the corner of Center and Main streets.

Mr. Lou Lockwood has brought Mr. Charles Sims' residence.

News has been received that Mr. Will Richmond is about to buy Mr. Frank Strupp's house and lot.

Mr. Lee has added very much to the appearance of his residence by having it painted.

Mrs. Deville is slowly recovering after a prolonged illness.

Mr. Richard Nagle of Minneapolis was a visitor here last week.

Mr. Earl Smith made a short visit to Dakota Monday evening.

Mr. Fritakes has recovered after having typhoid fever.

Mr. Johnny Stritch from Livingston, Mont., is visiting his mother and brother.

FINED \$500.00.

ST. PETERSBURG, Russia, Oct. 25.—The municipality of St. Petersburg has imposed fines aggregating \$500,000 on the Westinghouse Electric company for its failure to complete the construction of the street railway lines of this city.

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MISS HELEN GOULD
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FORT LEAVENWORTH, Kas., Oct. 25.—An honor accorded only to queens in Europe, and unprecedented in the United States, was vouchsafed Miss Helen Miller Gould when, seated on horseback in the center of the parade grounds, she reviewed 2,000 marching United States regular troops.

The salute was given her by the parading troops as though she had been the president or the commandant of the department of the west. The extraordinary spectacle almost overcame the philanthropic lady, whose eyes filled with tears as the gorgeous pageant swept past.

It was in recognition of Miss Gould's munificence in providing a \$50,000 Young Men's Christian association building for the soldiers of the reservation that every man from Brig. Gen. Hall down to the greenest, awkward squadder donned his finest trappings and deployed, fired volleys, double-quickened, then marched on again to the strains of a dozen bands under the colors.

Then when Miss Gould had reviewed them they tramped into the beautiful building she had given them and listened to her praises declaimed at its dedication by Gov. Hoch, Gen. Hall and J. M. Miller, the international secretary of the Y. M. C. A.

FINANCIAL FLURRY
NOT FELT HERE

The excitement which for the past few days has prevailed among the financiers on Wall street, in New York, is not being felt in the local markets to any great extent. The wholesale prices of grains and provisions in this locality have stood the tightness of the money market, although east of La Crosse the nervousness of the market has caused slight slumps.

The sharp decline of all stocks on the New York exchange is being watched with great interest by the people in this city, who are interested in the stock and bond game and some of whom have a few shares of good stocks tucked away in safety.

Most of these are holding on to their securities, realizing that they will not continue to go down all the time, but that when the market quiets down and conditions reach their normal level their securities will take an upward movement.

TWENTY- EIGHT HOURS LEFT IN THE
TRIBUNE'S \$3,500 CONTEST FOR CANDIDATES TO WIN VALUABLE PRIZES

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TOMORROW NIGHT, SATURDAY,
OCT. 26TH.**

AN ALARM CLOCK IS TO GIVE THE SIGNAL

**Batavian National Bank to Take Charge of Ballot Box.
Results to Be Published Monday Evening.**

Only twenty-eight hours remain in the Tribune's great \$3,500 Contest. After tomorrow night, subscriptions will be absolutely worthless as far as votes are concerned.

As stated above, the ballot box will close promptly at 9 o'clock. A representative of the Batavian National Bank will then seal it and take it to the vaults of the bank where it will be held until Monday morning.

It will then be brought to the Tribune office and the ballots counted by five of the most prominent business men of La Crosse. The results will be published in full in Monday evening's paper.

In order to give the country contestants an equal chance with those of failing to get your subscriptions the count until Monday. All mail from the country bearing the postmark not later than Saturday evening at nine o'clock, will be accepted and counted. All mail arriving after 9 o'clock Saturday night will be turned over to the judges Monday morning unopened and they alone shall decide on its validity.

In order to avoid a possible chance living in the city, we are reserving and votes in at the last minute, contestants should come to the office this evening, or earlier in the day on Saturday and deposit their votes. The rush which is liable to come at the last minute may cause you through lack of time, to lose the votes on the subscriptions which you would like to enter. Bring your subscriptions and votes in before the last minute to be sure of getting them entered. There is no advantage in waiting now, as the ballot box will not be opened again until Monday morning in the presence of the judges, when the final count and reckoning will be made. Remember only 28 hours, from the time of this publication, remains until the close of the great Tribune Contest.



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RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$692,457.92
Overdrafts	110.83
U. S. and other bonds and securities	\$1,103.50
Banking house and fixtures	8,000.00
Due from banks and in vault	294,955.07
Total	\$1,076,627.92
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock	\$50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	9,906.15
Deposits	966,721.77
Total	\$1,076,627.92

If the poultry house stands in a damp place a board floor is preferable; otherwise a dirt floor is best.

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doesn't think you mean that he has
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GERMAN BALLOON SIX MILES AHEAD

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The United States geological survey today figured the distance from Forest park, St. Louis, where the international balloon race began, to Bradley Beach, N. J., the point where the German balloon Pommern landed, as 873.4 miles. The survey figured the distance from the same point in St. Louis to Herbertsville, N. J., the point where the French balloon landed, as 867.4 miles.

As far as distance goes, the German balloon covered six miles more than the French balloon. The computation was made by spherical trigonometry from the latitude and longitude of the points involved.

Sky Racing Advanced.
ST. LOUIS, Oct. 25.—The international cup contest, won by the German balloon Pommern, and the dirigible balloon races are ended and the aeronauts and Aero club officials, who have made St. Louis their headquarters for the past ten days or more, are leaving for home. They declare the races have given an impetus to aerial activity. Officials of the St. Louis Aero club have received many telegrams of congratulation over the success of aeronautic week, and it is said that the interest aroused here in ballooning will result in other contests in the near future.

America to Seek Cup Anew.
There seems little doubt that a determined effort will be made next year by American aeronauts to regain possession of the cup won this year by the Germans. The articles covering the international race allow but three entries from each country represented in the aeronautic federation. The race next year goes to Germany, but this will not deter the Americans, who undoubtedly will enter the full number of racing teams. The three American balloons in this year's race, the United States, the America and the St. Louis, may again be chosen to try for the cup.

Favors Purchases for Army.
Brig.-Gen. James Allen, chief officer of the signal corps of the United States army, who witnessed the ascents, was impressed by the performance of some of the airships on yesterday, and declared before leaving today for Omaha that he would recommend in his next report to the secretary of war that several balloons of the dirigible type be bought or constructed for government experimental work.

**GIVEN DAY TO GET
FINE MONEY READY**
Given a day to raise money enough to pay a fine, and thus remain out of the county jail for one night at least, Nathan Ehrlich, 1106 Pine street, a fish buyer, may be imprisoned this afternoon, provided he does not make a report to Judge Brindley on his ability to float a loan of \$28.82. This sum was annexed to Ehrlich in a fine of \$25 and costs, for a violation of the fish and game laws of the state yesterday afternoon.

Ehrlich pleaded guilty to shipping two consignments of pike, of twenty pounds each, one on Aug. 14 and another on Aug. 15, in violation of the state game laws, which allow one shipment of twenty pounds during the week.

When the plea of guilty was entered, Judge Brindley imposed the fine. Ehrlich pleaded poverty and asked for an opportunity to raise the funds. Judge Brindley granted the request, with the proviso attached that Ehrlich report yesterday afternoon. When Ehrlich was unable to float the loan among friends, he telephoned Judge Brindley, evidently fearing that he would be attached if he appeared at the court house. He informed the court that he would bring the cash in today, provided he was able to secure the currency. At noon today he had not reported.

"If Ehrlich doesn't appear today with the cash, I will issue a commitment for him and have the sheriff put him in jail," said Judge Brindley. "He ought to have reported to me long before this."

AGAIN DENY LIQUOR SALE

George Pfaff and Matt Elange, general storekeepers at Burr Oak, town of Farmington, today entered the county court and entered a plea of not guilty to the second complaint, charging selling of liquor without a license. Judge Brindley granted a continuance until Nov. 7, by which time the first case against the two will have been settled.

Pfaff and Elange are charged with selling intoxicants on Aug. 1, by Peter Gullickson, chairman of the town, who swore out the information. The first charge recites that intoxicants were sold on July 31.

Two cases also are pending against A. C. Hanson, the "Duke of Mindoro."

GIRL STEALS; MAY GO FREE.

PEORIA, Ill., Oct. 25.—The federal grand jury yesterday returned an indictment against Miss Otilia Louisa Reed, former money order clerk of the Pontiac postoffice, charging her with the embezzlement of \$1,000. Miss Reed pleaded guilty to the indictment, and sentence was suspended until the April term of court. Miss Reed was arrested last June and bound over, though the facts of her arrest had been kept from the public. When the young woman faced the court and stood up awaiting sentence Judge Humphrey was nonplussed. In the afternoon she returned, but again the judge could not muster courage to sentence her. As the money has been paid back, the action of the court is taken to mean no sentence will be imposed.

PROPERTY TRANSFER.

William Hoier has transferred to his wife property in the town of Campbell for \$9,000. One hundred acres are included in the transfer, with a \$5,500 mortgage.

PLAN TO DIVERT TRADE TO LA CROSSE

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Crosse on the Northwestern at 1 o'clock in the afternoon. Provided the Green Bay makes the time of the morning train ten minutes earlier, connections can be made to bring the shoppers into La Crosse on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad at 11.30 o'clock in the morning.

On return, the train leaves here on the Northwestern road at 5:45, but the stub train has passed Marshland by the time the Northwestern reaches Marshland. Speaker Ekern wants this evening train of the Green Bay to leave Winona one hour later, thus allowing connections at Marshland. To this plan the railroad company has worked up considerable opposition, and it is doubted, if the order will be granted the applicant.

The compromise scheme is to have the Northwestern train reach Marshland one half hour earlier than now, and the Green Bay stub to arrive at Marshland one half hour later. This will divide the difference of the hour between the two roads. Commercial traveling men, who oppose the original order, would have only a half hour lost, while the shopping residents of Trempealeau valley would have the opportunity to transact business in La Crosse.

The application for the order has been filed with the rate commission and will be heard shortly. La Crosse commercial organizations may take a hand in the move to see it through to a successful culmination.

If granted La Crosse will derive a direct trade benefit. The residents of Trempealeau valley are desirous of shopping in La Crosse, but are unable to do so now, without spending two days here. The territory belongs to La Crosse, and the purpose of the application is to give La Crosse equal railroad facilities with Winona, in respect to the trade of the valley.

Another scheme to remedy the difficulty is to have the Green Bay run two stubs each day, one to connect with the Northwestern. This will serve the same purpose as changing the time of two trains, giving La Crosse an opportunity to secure the trade, now to Winona.

EVEN THE MAYOR TAKES HIS BOOZE

EAST GRAND FORKS, Minn., Oct. 25.—Sensational affidavits have been forwarded to Attorney General Edward T. Young, Gov. John A. Johnson and Sheriff Louis Gonyea of Polk county, advising them that the U. S. is completely off in East Grand Forks and has been for many weeks.

A detective from a Minneapolis agency has been in East Grand Forks for a week and is said to have collected an amazing amount of evidence showing that gambling is carried on openly, saloons never closing, day or night or Sunday, and that houses of bad reputation to the number of five are allowed to flourish on Demers, the main avenue. It is charged that draw poker, roulette, stud poker and half a dozen other games are allowed to run, and there are scores of slot machines.

Mayor John O'Leary is charged with having gone into a saloon shortly after 12 o'clock on the night of Oct. 22 and to have drunk two glasses of whiskey, and that the slot machines were in operation in the saloon visited by the mayor. Chief of Police Franklin is alleged to have gone into a saloon to drink beer, and it is pointed out that there were slot machines in operation in the place.

GOVERNOR IN COUP IN NEVADA

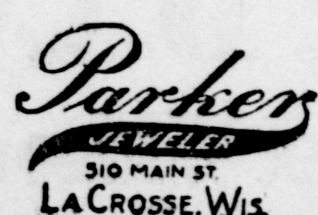
RENO, Nev., Oct. 25.—Owing to the general feeling of unrest that pervades financial circles, Gov. Sparks has declared Friday and Saturday legal holidays. All the banks throughout the state are taking advantage of this respite to get their affairs in such shape as to make a failure impossible.

The State Bank and Trust company, with headquarters at Carson and branches at Goldfield, Tonopah, Manhattan and Blair, closed its doors yesterday. The state bank examiner is in charge. T. B. Hickey, president of the bank, is one of the wealthiest men in the state and the bank's assets are thought to exceed its liabilities. Inability to realize on stocks held as security for a \$400,000 loan to the Sullivan Trust company, is believed to have added to the bank's difficulties.

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PRESBYTERY HOLDS ADJOURNED MEETING

CALLS RECEIVED FROM TWO
• STATE CHURCHES

VARIOUS COMMITTEES NAMED

Disbursement of Mission Funds to
Be Taken Up—Vacant Pul-
pits Will Soon Be Filled

The Presbytery of La Crosse held an adjourned session yesterday in the Y. M. C. A. with Rev. J. K. Fowler, the moderator, in the chair. The call of the Bangor church to Rev. W. E. Olmstead was presented and also that of the Mauston church to Rev. R. A. Atkins, D. D. They are now serving those churches and are to hold the calls until the spring meeting of the Presbytery. Matters in the Dells Dam church were referred to a committee, Rev. J. S. Crouse and Rev. W. D. Thomas.

The making of the allotment of missionary funds to the churches was referred to the state clerk, Rev. D. H. Rohrabach, Rev. J. K. Fowler and Mr. W. E. Walker.

The prospect of the speedy filling of all the vacant pulpits in the Presbytery was reported by the chairman of the Home Mission committee, Rev. R. A. Atkins and August Paulus were constituted the evangelistic committee, and Rev. W. D. Thomas and W. E. Walker the Sunday school committee.

CROOK DIES AFTER EXCITING CAREER

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—After having been shot while attempting a hold-up, captured by the police and escaping while under guard at the county hospital, John Kroll, twenty-eight years old, was instantly killed by a Chicago & North-Western express train at Avondale, a suburb of Chicago.

Kroll was shot four days ago by a watchman while attempting to rob Louis Reinhart in front of a building at 64 West North avenue.

He was arrested later at his home, but escaped from the hospital by climbing out of a window after having hoodwinked his custodian. He left without his eye glasses, however, and that fact was the indirect cause of his death.

His vision being imperfect Kroll failed to see the express train when he alighted from a local and was ground to pieces under the wheels.

HUSBAND'S SHAME DRIVES WIFE CRAZY

WATERLOO, Ia., Oct. 25.—Mrs. Daniel Stager of this city has become a raving maniac as a result of a scandal in which her husband of a year and a half is a central figure, and the man, who was in jail here, has been released in \$1,000 bonds and tonight hurried to Fort Dodge in the hope that his presence might restore his wife's reason and perhaps save her life. The woman is at the home of her father, George Gosnell.

Mrs. Stager went to visit her parents a short time ago, taking her infant child with her. During her absence her husband was arrested on a statutory charge connecting his name with some notorious characters, among them a girl twelve years old. When the accused were arrested Mrs. Stager came to Waterloo and declared she would stand by her husband until the charges against him had been proved. She then returned to Fort Dodge, but worry over the affair has unbalanced her mind and she is now a raving maniac.

Before her marriage Mrs. Stager worked for three years as stenographer in the office of County Attorney Mears, who will prosecute the case against her husband.

ALLIS-CHALMERS COMPANY.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Stockholders of the Allis-Chalmers company at the annual meeting in Jersey City re-elected the following directors: Charles MacVeagh, E. H. Gary, William A. Read and Cornelius Vanderbilt of New York, and William W. Allis and Lahman F. Bower of Milwaukee. Walter H. Whiteside was re-elected president.

HEAR OF PLAN FOR NEW AUDITORIUM

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and hopes that the proper arrangements may be perfected.

The regular meeting of the central society of the Saengerbund was held last evening at the Germania hall. All but one member was present, and the evening, which fell upon the annual social event of the Deutscher Verein, proved to be a most interesting one. The evening was spent with cards, dancing and refreshments.

Carnival Postponed.
The date of the carnival and bazaar has been postponed so that it will occupy the entire first week in December.

President William Doerflinger and Secretary John L. Utermoehl appointed the following chairmen of their respective committees who will have charge of the bulk of the work. Soliciting committee—John Dengler.

Refreshment committee—John Malin.

Supper committee—John Neukomm.

Music and Entertainment committee—Joseph Riese.

William F. Strauss was chosen as chairman of the committee of the "Queen of the Carnival," which will no doubt be an interesting feature. The most popular lady is to receive a handsome prize.

Invite Ladies to Sing.
William Luenig offered a resolution which was unanimously adopted, that all the societies of the 1908 Saengerfest extend a hearty invitation to all the ladies of the city of La Crosse who can sing German to enter into the mixed chorus which has already had several rehearsals at the Germania hall. An invitation will soon be published in all the local dailies and the ladies are urged to attend the rehearsals and participate in the Saengerfest.

ALDERMAN BARNEY VALENTINE RESIGNS

Alderman Barney H. Valentine yesterday tendered his resignation as a member of the common council.

Mr. Valentine has been one of the North Side aldermen for the past year and one half and during that time has been connected with a number of important north side measures which were taken up by the council. It was largely due to his efforts that the north side street car loop was given the Grand Crossing residents.

Mr. Valentine will leave Saturday for Spokane, Wash., where his three sons, Walter, Chester and John are now employed in the railroad business.

Mr. Valentine's resignation does not come as a surprise as he notified the majority of his friends of his intention some time ago.

It has been difficult to keep a representative in the council from the Ninth ward. John Dimon who was in the ward before Mr. Valentine was elected, also resigned before his term was ended.

In the Nineteenth ward Alderman Anderson also recently resigned and went out west.

LADRONES LAYING FOR SECRETARY TAFT

MANILA, Oct. 25.—Secretary Taft and party, including the Philippine commissioners, Generals Wood and Bliss and Rear Admiral Hemphill, visited Subig Bay, inspecting the naval station at Olango and the fortifications now being built on Grande island, at the mouth of the bay. The secretary expressed no opinion in regard to the work. A secret conference of short duration occupied the time of the commission before leaving.

Secretary Taft started for Baguio last night, traveling by rail, automobile and on horseback, and will arrive at noon today. Unusual precautions will be taken along the railroad line and a pilot engine will be run ahead of the train, as there have been hints of possible trouble from Ladrones.

WOULD USE AIRSHIPS IN WAR.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 25.—Brig. Gen. James Allen, chief officer of the signal corps of the United States army, who witnessed all of the balloon ascensions made here this week was much impressed by the performances of some of the airships yesterday and declared he would recommend in his next report to the secretary of war that several balloons of the dirigible type be bought or constructed for government experimental work. "No large fighting force of the future will be complete without its complement of airships," he said.

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This Ticket entitles bearer to chance on 20th Century Steel Laurel Range to be given away at 8 p. m., on Nov. 2, at the Store of
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We will show you what a Fuel Saver it is, how biscuits can be baked, using only a paper smoke pipe and how strongly it is made.
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During this Reception, if you purchase one of these Ranges, you will be presented with a Handsome Set of Laurel Heavy, Triple-coated, First Grade Enamel Ware consisting of the following:

- Five quart preserving kettle.
- Eight quart flat bottom teakettle. Made seamless with enameled cover.
- Extra large double roaster, made with loose tray. Completely enameled. Easy to clean.
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- Four quart sauce pan.

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VIEWS DIVIDED ON SHORTAGE OF COAL

LA CROSSE DEALERS SAY IT IS
ONLY USUAL

COAL COMING FROM ILLINOIS

But It Is Difficult Just Now to Get
Shipments Through Chicago
from Eastern Fields.

Although there is always a shortage in the filling of orders at this time of the year in the coal line when the railroads are hauling an immense amount of coal, some of the local dealers are experiencing much difficulty in receiving an adequate supply for the fulfillment of their orders.

One of the prominent La Crosse coal dealers said today:

"The railroads are doing everything possible to keep the dealers supplied, but at this time of the year there is an enormous amount of traffic, and that is responsible for the coal shortage. If the people who desire coal during the winter, and I believe that a majority of the residents of La Crosse burn coal in their homes, would help us by taking their supplies earlier in the season, the shortage at this time of the year would not be so pronounced. The majority of the people wait until the cold weather sets in, and the result is that we are deluged with orders all at once. We wire and wire for coal, but the mines are unable to secure cars enough for shipment, and consequently it is a long time before our shipments arrive."

"The people up north in the Dakotas and Minnesota, where suffering because of a lack of fuel was so pronounced last winter, have profited by experience, and have laid in as much coal as could be secured. More yard room was secured and the supply laid in is enormous."

R. W. Keyes of the W. W. Cargill Co. company said this morning:

"We are at present receiving our shipments fairly well, but I understand that there is a shortage in cars and we may experience a shortage here a little later on. I understand that some of the dealers here are already complaining upon their inability to secure enough coal for filling orders."

A. J. Eberhart of the Thomas & Eberhart Coal company, said this morning:

"A shortage will occur. It is already impossible to secure any cars of coal whatever from the Pennsylvania or West Virginia coal fields, but we are still able to get all we want from the Illinois fields. I have

had some Pocahontas coal on the road from Pennsylvania for the past nine weeks. There is at present a sort of blockade at Chicago, and it seems impossible to move anything."

A. P. Hankerson of the La Crosse Coal company, says: "I understand that the cars are now beginning to accumulate at Chicago. Orders for eastern coal have been slack since August. The accumulation which has been made at Chicago may somewhat relieve the situation, however."

"I would be willing to predict a shortage. It has also been hard to secure coal from the Illinois fields."

John Dimon, secretary for Louis Jenks at the Arctic Ice and Fuel company, seems to be optimistic in regard to the matter, however, and said this morning: "We are having no trouble whatever and our orders for coal thus far, have not been affected."

J. D. Becker of the Whitebreast Fuel company, does not seem to foresee a shortage of coal and does not believe the situation even serious. He said: "There is a coal shortage at this time of the year again as usual. This occurs every year, however. We continue to get coal the same as

usual, except that it is about a week later in arriving."

A business man who has made a study of the existing conditions in the various markets is pessimistic over the conditions in the coal outlook.

"I have found from observation," he said, "that the fuel situation throughout the west is in such a state that unless the mining interests and railroads get together on some plan to handle the products of the mines, and provide labor to work them, the situation will be to a far degree worse than it was last winter, when many communities became desperate. A coal famine will result from the present conditions unless something is done to remedy the evil. The famine will not be confined to districts, but will be generally felt all over the country."

"The railroads alone consume in the neighborhood of one hundred and sixty million tons of coal during the year. They will naturally come in first for their supply, then comes the manufacturing interests and then the public. I am inclined to believe that with the increase in the cold weather the price of coal may go up."

Read The Tribune Want Ads.



Hattie Dougherty, at La Crosse Theatre, Next Week.

CONVENTION ACT REBUKE TO FARMERS

RESERVOIR SYSTEM MEETS WITH
APPROVAL HERE

IT IS ALREADY MAINTAINED

Congressman Esch Says Farmers
Want Lands Used by the Government for Farm Purposes

The action of the Upper Mississippi River Improvement association in endorsing the reservoir system at the convention at Moline, Ill., meets with favor among La Crosse river men, lumbermen and students of the river transportation problem. The endorsement means no change in the promotion of the river, or reservoir system now in use, but is a mild rebuke to farmers in northern Minnesota, along the headwaters of the Mississippi, who are opposed to the reservoir system.

Large reservoirs, made possible by the construction of huge dams, built at an enormous expense, are found along the headwaters of the river. The reservoirs interfere with the work of the farmers, overflowing valuable lands which might be used for farming purposes. This alone is responsible for the antagonism now existent in Minnesota against the reservoir system.

According to Representative John J. Esch, a student of the river transportation problem and the six foot channel, the farmers have little ground for the intense antagonism. "When the dams were constructed, the government purchased the property and the flowage rights," said Mr. Esch. "The farmers well knew what was to be done, and said little, but have made their complaint now."

"Only government property is flooded, but this land is valuable for farming and might be used for that purpose now. Farmers are anxious to secure these lands for this reason."

"Millions have been expended by the government for the reservoir system, although the land and flowage rights were purchased at a low cost several years ago. The biggest dam is near Lake Itasca, the practical headwater of the Mississippi, where a huge dam, which holds back thousands and thousands of cubic feet of water, was constructed by the federal engineers. The dam did not cost much at the time of construction, but has increased in value since first built."

"By means of the dams or reservoirs thus made, the government is able to allow water to be released in the time of a low stage, thus

keeping the river at a navigable depth. When the river is low, the gates to the dam are opened, and the navigable stage is maintained until a big rain, when the river will rise. In event of a rise, and at high stage of water, the reservoirs are kept closed. The water is caught in the spring and kept during the summer."

"Several years ago the government purchased reservoir sites and flowage rights near the headquarters of the Chippewa and Wisconsin rivers in our own state, planning an auxiliary reservoir system for the Mississippi. The plans failed to materialize and the land reverted to the public domain and was sold for farms. Minnesota farmers would welcome the reversion of the reservoir lands and properties flooded by the pent up water, and for this reason are hostile to the present system, so needed, and of so great practical benefit to the river and its users."

TO MODERNIZE CHINA.

(New York Evening Sun.)

Obviously enough the awakening of China as everybody understands it means the development of a national life and a social and industrial organization more or less in accordance with the ideas and methods of the western world. When we think of the Chinese awakening in the most concrete form we unquestionably have in mind some such phenomenon as Japan has presented in the last fifty years—in the last half of the last century, as a matter of fact. But today the interpretation of the Japanese phenomenon, the rendering of its significance for mankind, still waits, and China is a vastly greater potentiality than Japan has ever appeared to be. It has nine times as many people, not far from thirty times as great an area, an infinity of national resources and is occupied by peoples whose racial staying power is probably superior to that of the Japanese. All that the illustration of Japan's rise to place and power among the nations helps us to realize in considering the Chinese awakening is a very dim apprehension and anticipation as of some tremendous event far off.

BODY OF DROWNED MAN RECOVERED

The remains of Charles Davis, who fell from a government boat near Glen Haven on Sept. 26, were recovered near McCartney by a fisherman named Swindale. The body was found floating between two dams below McCartney and the authorities were at once notified.

The crew of the government boat Louisiana, was notified and an inquest was held which resulted in a verdict of accidental drowning. The body was terribly bloated, and almost unrecognizable, but he was identified by the clothes he wore. A number of papers were found on him, but these

BIDS OPENED ON GALESVILLE SCHOOL

Bids were received today for the Galesville high school which was expected to cost approximately \$25,000.

All of the bids were above that amount, the lowest being \$29,800, which figure was entered by Contractor G. H. Smith of Viroqua. The next figure was \$31,000 entered by W. H. Farley of New Lisbon.

Bids were entered by Groff and Derr of La Crosse and also by Contractor C. W. Noble.

The remainder of the figures are as follows:

C. W. Noble, La Crosse—\$31,750.
L. V. Houska, Sparta—\$32,200.
C. E. Wiershech—\$32,750.
E. J. Lake, Viroqua—\$33,500.
Groff and Derr, La Crosse—\$35,378.

Appleton Construction company—\$35,380.

A remarkable coincidence in the two last figures is the fact that they vary but \$2.

Baker-Niebuhr Lowest on Heating.

The bids on heating were entered the lowest by Baker-Niebuhr of La Crosse, who bid \$5,560 for the heating and they were also lowest on the plumbing, entering a bid of \$1,597. The contracts have not yet been awarded, but will no doubt be let to the lowest bidders.

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"Nothing like that ever happened to me before! A patient that we had been treating for appendicitis died, and what do you think the post mortem showed? The fellow really had appendicitis!"—Jugend.

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Master Magician, Humorist, Illusionist and Entertainer, introducing his latest illusions:

TRANSPARENT AND CREMATION
No man, woman or child can afford to miss seeing this great act, as it is instructive, startling, sensational and mysterious. It is Something New.

Other star acts on the program:

Miss Bessie Allen
Mack and Elliot
Bowen and Bowen
Miss Louise Lehman and Mr. Louis La Vallie, both late of the Nellie Andrews Grand Opera Trio, have been engaged permanently as Pianist and Illustrated Song Singer.

Moving Pictures:

1—"Are You an Elk?"
2—"Man, Hat and Cocktail."
Both very funny.

Ladies' Popular Matinees Every Day at 3 o'clock. Admission 10c.

Night Performances 10c and 15c. Sunday and Holiday Matinees 10 and 15 Cents.



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Eastern Northern Spies.
Baldwins, Greenings, Russetts
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Grapes—New York Concord, Labeled
Cranberries
Car due tomorrow.

JOHN C. BURNS FRUIT HOUSE.

CITY NEWS

WM. PHILIPS TAKES BRIDE—Invitations have been received announcing the coming marriage of Dr. W. J. Phillips and Miss Pearl Smith to take place at the home of the bride's mother, in West Salem, next Tuesday evening. Both parties are well known in the city the groom is a dentist associated with Dr. W. M. Collier.

BAGGAGEMAN HURT—Thomas Broderick, a baggageman of the Northwestern road, is lying in a very critical condition at the St. Alexander hospital at New Ulm, suffering with severe injuries received last Saturday. Mr. Broderick lost his balance and fell from the car door to the depot platform, striking on his head and causing concussion of the brain.

TROUBLE BREWING—The first indications of dissension between the city and county members of the new county board committee on assessments appeared Wednesday morning when two county members, Supervisors Ray Lewis and William Wolf, refused to accompany the city members, Supervisors John Kindley, B. Nelson and Peter Lehnen on a three day's inspection of the property in the county.

GETS \$500 VERDICT—The jury of the circuit court at Whitehall, before Judge Fruit, decided that injuries sustained by S. J. Lesum by being bumped about inside a Green Bay runaway box car, together with damages for broken furniture, were worth \$500.

STARTS SUIT—Henry Young of Durand, Wis., formerly an employee of the Milwaukee road at the North side, has started a suit against the road for damages, alleging that he was injured in a fall from a car. He asks \$2,000 damages.

VACCINATE HUNDREDS—Nearly every resident of Galesville is being vaccinated in an effort to stamp out an epidemic of smallpox. A means is now being discussed of having the vaccination paid for out of the public funds, so that poverty may not be an excuse for neglecting the precaution.

MOVEMENT ON RIVER—The Alert and the Curlew were the only boats navigating in the vicinity of La Crosse yesterday. The Alert went down river yesterday morning.

FARMERS IN CITY—Farmers in the vicinity of La Crosse were well represented in the city for the past few days. The largest day in the past year in the barley market was registered yesterday, while the hay market is also strong.

VIROQUA NEWS

Mr. C. H. Holbrook and Mrs. Julia Bailey were quietly married at M. E. parsonage, Wednesday evening, Rev. Chas. Butters officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Syverson were business callers from Westby today.

Mrs. J. K. Schreiner of Westby called on friends in the city yesterday.

Mrs. L. O. Cole of De Soto spent Thursday with friends and relatives in Viroqua.

Mrs. John Torgerson and Miss Polly Torgerson of Westby are guests at the home of their sister, Mrs. Bekum.

Mr. John T. Clancey of Readstown transacted business in the city this afternoon.

Miss Ollie Watson commenced her duties as saleslady for the Tate Mercantile Co., this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. George Martin who have been visiting relatives in Viroqua for the past two weeks returned to their home in Iowa this morning.

Mr. W. Banks has sold his house and lot on north Main street to Mr. B. Dustin.

Spillum & Groves are enlarging their dry barn.

Mrs. William Burlin of Tomah is visiting friends and relatives in Viroqua.

Mrs. Jitley Norris who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Webb, has returned to her home, at West Salem.

ERLICH PAYS SECOND FINE

M. Ehrlich, a wholesale fish dealer, pleaded guilty yesterday afternoon before Judge Brindley to the charge of making two twenty pound shipments of pike in the same week, and paid a fine of \$25 and costs, amounting to \$28.82. According to the law but one shipment of 20 pounds of pike can be made in one week.

This is the second conviction this year for Mr. Ehrlich, his previous offense being the shipment of fish not properly placarded according to the law. The warrant was sworn out by Game Warden George Kingsley.

THE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

Here is a prescription that anyone can mix at home. Any good prescription pharmacy can supply the ingredients named at little cost; being composed of vegetable extracts, it is harmless and inexpensive. Best of all it does its work well, relieving even the worst forms of bladder trouble, frequent urination, backache, kidney complaint, and by its direct action upon the eliminative tissue of the kidneys, makes these most vital organs rid the blood and system of waste matter and uric acid which causes rheumatism.

Here it is: try it if you suffer. Fluid Extract Dandelion, one half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime.

A well-known local druggist is authority for the statement that one week's use shows good results in nearly every instance, and such symptoms as lame back, frequent desire to urinate, pain in bladder and even chronic rheumatism are generally relieved within a few days, the pain and swelling diminishing with each dose.

ELECTION TONIGHT

MANUFACTURERS TO HOLD SESSION

Will Also Take Up Home Consumption of Goods

The annual adjourned meeting of the Manufacturers' and Jobbers' union will take place this evening at the La Crosse club, when the report which was prepared at the meeting last Friday by the union's "Booster committee" will be made.

The report in the main will suggest that ways and means be devised to induce citizens of La Crosse to consume a larger amount of local goods.

A plan may be adopted to entice the citizens of La Crosse to greater patriotism for their city by the use of the local newspapers and by circulars. The two principal ways to induce greater consumption of local goods was found by the committee to be "I ask the retailers to handle more local goods and to get the citizens or the consumer to ask for local goods."

Elect Officers Tonight. The annual election of officers will also be made this evening. The president and the vice president will be chosen from and by the committee of five. W. J. Bryant, who is vice president, has been acting for the past several meetings as president.

BEGIN WORK ON BIG POWER PLANT

Work will be begun before the year is out on a dam across the Mississippi river, at the foot of the Des Moines rapids, for the development of water power. It will be the greatest project of the kind except the combined works at Niagara, the dam is the greatest in the world except those built by the British in the Nile. A minimum of 60,000 horse power is to be obtained and transmitted to factories in the heart of the agricultural center of the nation. The dam will be in sight of the states of Iowa, Illinois, and Missouri, the legislatures of each state having adopted resolutions approving the work and promising all possible assistance. The estimated cost will be \$6,000,000, which is \$100 per horse power on the minimum power capacity of 60,000 horse power. The cost of supplying power, including all fixed charges, maintenance, operation and all fixed expenses, is closely estimated at eight dollars per horsepower-year, the cost of steam power in the territory within 200 miles now being from \$40 to \$65 per horsepower-year, with \$55 as a conservative average.

SCOTCH CROPS HARD HIT. GLASGOW, Oct. 25.—Rains have done damage to crops throughout Scotland to the extent of millions of dollars. America will be called on to make up the deficiency.

IRVINE'S Christmas Line of Solid Gold Rings, Brooches, Scarf Pins, Cuff Buttons and Cuff Pins is now very complete.

Ladies' Set Rings, \$2.00 to \$350.00.

Gents' Rings, very heavy, stone set, \$4.50 to \$350.00.

Solid Gold Rings are the only Ones We Sell.

Our Wholesale Business necessitates our carrying an extremely large stock.

Our goods are right as regards quality and price.

Mail orders filled same day as received.

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PERSONALS

Home made Molasses Kisses, Pfund's Mrs. Otto Borlsen of Hancock, Mich., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Kohlaus, 1518 Madison street.

Mrs. J. C. Niedbalski, 1113 South Fourth street, is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Fetter are spending a few days with friends at Chicago.

Architect B. J. Dockendorff has returned from a business trip in South Dakota and gone to Whitehall, Wis.

Dr. George Fowell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Talley have returned to their home in Elkader, Ia., after visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Fred Rief has returned to her home in this city after visiting friends at Caledonia.

Specialists are going back to nature's remedies as being the best. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has been nature's best remedy for thirty years. Recommended and used by specialists. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your Druggist.

Attorney J. P. Kennedy of St. Paul, formerly of this city, is calling on friends in the city for a few days.

E. A. Mench has returned to his home in Rock Island after transacting business in the city.

R. G. Graves of Sparta is the guest of friends in the city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mienner of Lincoln, Neb., are spending the week with La Crosse friends.

M. O. Gilbert of Melrose was a business caller in the city for a short time yesterday.

Good dry hard and soft wood for sale. C. O. D. Phones 179, Gateway City Transfer Line, 214-216 Vine.

M. D. Kinsey returned last evening to his home in Appleton after visiting friends here.

Alderman M. H. Higgins of the Eighth ward at Madison is in the city on business and while here is visiting old acquaintances.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women. Mr. and Mrs. Montague and sons, Wallace and Theodore, and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Tscherner went to Viroqua and back yesterday afternoon in the automobile of Mr. Montague.

Mrs. F. L. Fuller of Spring Valley is the guest of relatives in La Crosse this week.

"Pining," another great hit, by Fred Fischer, composer of "If the Man in the Moon Were a Coon," Independent Ten Cent Store.

George Schreier of Prairie du Chien is in the city for a few days' calling on business acquaintances.

Miss Thersa Perken of Chicago is the guest of relatives and friends in La Crosse.

Phone Gateway City Transfer Line for your next hack call. Phone 179.

R. A. Richards of Sparta was calling on old acquaintances in the city yesterday.

Mrs. H. G. Hauser of Spring Grove returned home today after visiting relatives in the city.

KIRK'S JAPANESE SOAP is twice the size and less than half the cost of any brand of really good transparent soap. Druggists and grocers.

Mrs. John Rupp and son, George of Menasha, Wis., are the guest of relatives in La Crosse.

A. A. Hallern of Caledonia was calling on business acquaintances in the city yesterday.

Blackheads, blotches and pimples are caused by the improper action of the bowels. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea regulates the bowels, makes your complexion clear and beautiful, gives you that healthy look. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your Druggist.

F. F. McKenne returned last evening to his home in Caledonia after transacting business in the city.

W. C. Sargent of De Soto was a business caller in La Crosse for a short time yesterday.

W. W. James of Preston has returned home after spending a few days with friends about the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Carvey of West Salem are the guest of friends in the city for a short time.

Mrs. J. B. Mowans of Spring Valley is the guest of friends in the city for a few days.

H. L. Landers has returned to his home in Melrose after transacting business in La Crosse.

John Venner of Genoa is transacting business in the city for a few days.

A very old lady was granma Jones. She had passed her four score and three.

And had no aches or pains in her bones.

For she drank Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea.—Ask your Druggist.

Ole Johnson of Savanna is in the city visiting friends and old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Weaster of Rushford are spending a few days with friends in the city.

W. H. Shulze of Winona is in the city today calling on business acquaintances.

J. H. Talbert of Tomah is spending a few days in the city visiting friends.

W. F. McDowney of West Salem is calling on friends in the city for a few days.

Messrs. O. C. O'Hearn and C. J. Hogg, merchants of Melrose, were business callers in the city yesterday.

O. M. Duffy of Galesburg was a business caller in the city the first of the week.

J. A. Paulson has returned to his home in Sparta after transacting business in the city.

Ella Kearney of Viroqua was in the city for a short time yesterday calling on old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Hofweber have returned from an extended trip to Milwaukee and Chicago. They spent several days with relatives and friends in Milwaukee and then went to Chicago, where Mr. Hofweber transacted some business and also spent some time with relatives and friends. They returned to their home at 1606 Jackson street yesterday.



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PETER NEWBURG

CLOTHIERS TO THE PEOPLE

324-326 PEARL ST.

SERIOUS FIRE OCCURS AT WINONA

Three firemen were badly injured and property destroyed to the extent of over \$100,000 during a fire which broke out yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock in the heart of the manufacturing district of Winona.

The fire originated in the lumber yards of the Scroth and Ahrens Milling company and on account of a stiff breeze and the dry material with which it came in contact, it soon consumed all before it. For a time it was feared that it might reach the residence portion of the city. By hard work the firemen had it under control about 11 o'clock.

The lumber yards and also the mill of the Scroth and Ahrens company were completely consumed and some of the neighboring structures were slightly burned and scorched.

A general alarm was turned in and the entire department fought with the flames.

TOMAH BANKRUPT DISCHARGED TODAY

In the matter of L. H. Reynolds, a bankrupt of Tomah, Wis., who filed a petition of bankruptcy on Oct. 20, 1906, the bankrupt was discharged by Judge A. L. Sanborn in the United States district court today.

This is the second bankruptcy case which Judge Sanborn has discharged within the past week.

Possibly it may not have occurred to you that there is more craft on land than there is on sea.

NEWBANGOR CHURCH

LOCAL ARCHITECTS ARE DRAWING PLANS

Odest Church in State to be Remodeled

Architects Schick and Roth have just completed plans for a handsome Lutheran church at Bangor. It will be a brick structure and the extreme measurements of the building will be 56 by 80 feet. The work of construction will be started as soon as the frost is out of the ground next spring and it will be completed some time during the summer.

Remodel Oldest Church. They are also working upon plans for an addition to the oldest Catholic church in Wisconsin which is located at Prairie du Chien.

It is the St. Gabriel's Catholic church which is a stone structure and was erected in 1817. It is still in good condition, although of plain style with a single small tower. Several additions will be made which, when completed, will make it like a modern structure.

Rev. Dunand was the first white man to settle there and establish a church on the present site in 1726.

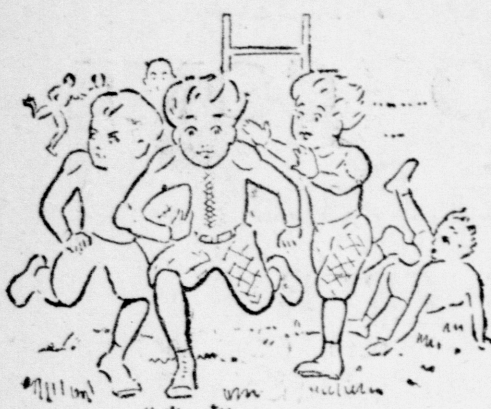
STANDARD OIL AGENTS MEET

The salesmen of the Standard Oil company in the district controlled by the La Crosse office, held an important gathering in the city yesterday under the supervision of B. B. Krenshaw, general manager of the Chicago office, and one of the officials of the company in the northwest. The meeting was an annual, the company having made it a practice to hold district conventions of this sort for the purpose of giving instructions to agents and giving them an opportunity of comparing notes for mutual benefit. A business meeting was held in which the salesmen were posted regarding various matters of importance in the Standard's methods of transacting business. W. J. Holton of Chicago addressing the meeting on that point.

After the business meeting the visitors were shown about the city, an automobile being placed at their disposal. The party visited the site of the Standard Oil company's new office building and warehouse on the causeway, where a modern \$30,000 structure will soon be erected.

Following the ride about the city the visitors were taken to the Hotel Stoddard, where dinner was served, after which they were taken to the theatre to enjoy the evening.

The following agents attended the meeting: S. L. Levy of Eau Claire, Mr. Dabridge, Austin, O. F. Caswell, Winona, and W. H. Keene and F. W. Fuller of this city.



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If you feel dragged out or ill after a strenuous summer begin to use

NEBUER GINGER ALE

It helps greatly to purify the system. As a table drink it has no equal. Drink it with your meals.

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SOCIETY

FAREWELL SURPRISE.

Yesterday afternoon a party of twenty ladies gathered at the home of Mrs. L. A. Foster on South Eighth street for the purpose of giving Mrs. Jennie Burnham a farewell surprise. Mrs. Burnham who has lived here a number of years, has broken up housekeeping and will go next week to Waverly, Ia., where she will spend the winter with relatives. The affair was so well planned that not an inkling of it reached the ears of the lady in question. A delicious supper was provided by the guests, and was also served by them.

The last course consisted of clippings of bon mots and anecdotes, which were laid at each plate and read aloud, eliciting much pleasantry.

Before the party broke up Mrs. Burnham was presented with a handsome traveling bag from her friends. Those invited were Mesdames F. E. Davis, Will Smith, J. L. Pettingill, W. H. Tarbox, Alfred James, David Austin, Homer Hart, Jr., George Bradish, Hiram H. Goddard, R. F. Weston, A. H. Mitchell, E. R. Savage, L. A. Foster, Miss Goodland, Miss Margaret Burnham and Miss Alice Wheeler.

CHURCH SUPPER.

The Woman's union of the First Congregational church will serve a supper in the church parlors Thursday. All are cordially invited. The hostesses will be Mesdames W. H. Tarbox, George Bradish, J. L. Callahan, T. B. Lawrence, Albert Hardy,

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into our new quarters, the Studio will be closed for one week, Oct 21st to 28th. When we will be ready for business and glad to welcome you to the finest studio in the Northwest.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Miss Kate Upson Clarke, a prominent club woman of New York, will give a talk Saturday evening, Nov. 2, at the Congregational church. Her topic will be "Great Educational Movements."

BELLEVUE BUILDS A SPLENDID LAUNCH

During the last year or two La Crosse people who have a liking for the river and the sport it affords have given a great deal of attention to launches and much of this attention has been centered in speed. To these the following from the Bellevue Herald will be of interest:

"Friday last our local Marine Engine and Launch works launched a boat built for speed. The craft is a torpedo stern, speed model, 32 feet long with a 4 foot beam, and is propelled by a four-cylinder twenty-horse power Iowa marine engine. The entire weight of the hull and machinery and fixtures constitutes the bulk of the weight, 800 pounds. A large number of our citizens witnessed a trial trip of this small boat from the bank Saturday when she was running at the rate of 19 miles an hour down stream, and all expressed themselves that she was not only the swiftest but the most graceful craft ever seen here."

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WISCONSIN NEWS

BRIDE FINDS HER HUSBAND BIGAMIST

WOMAN GETS EVIDENCE AGAINST FAITHLESS ONE.

ARRESTED IN DEATH CHAMBER

Watching at Bed of Brother-in-Law, Who Died of Poisoning—Prisoner Gets One Year

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 25.—A bride of three weeks, Mrs. Theophil Collins sat dry-eyed, stony-faced in the municipal court room yesterday and saw her bridegroom sentenced to one year at the workhouse for bigamy.

After Collins had been sentenced she returned to the deathbed of her brother, John Chrabakowski, who accidentally drank potassium of cyanide in mistake for water at the plant of the Wisconsin Iron and Wire works, where he was employed, and died in agony two days ago.

To the innocent curiosity of his bride, who, like the wife of Bluebeard in the children's fairy tale, opened the doors of her husband's past despite his stern command, and there gazed in horror upon the proofs of his perfidy, does he owe his conviction.

Letter Gives Clue.

A letter which Collins thought he had safely hidden from his wife's prying eyes, gave her the clue which led to his exposure. Step by step, relentlessly, she, a bride of a few days, gathered the evidence which she placed in the hands of the police officers, and with this evidence they arrested him at the house of death, where the corpse of his brother-in-law lay, dressed in the grave clothes in the adjoining room.

GOVERNOR RETURNS; PLEDGES SUPPORT

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 25.—Gov. Davidson, Col. O. G. Munson and other members of the official party that went to Andersonville, Ga., last week to dedicate the new Wisconsin soldiers' monument there, arrived home yesterday. While the party was at Atlanta Gov. Hoke Smith of Georgia called on Gov. Davidson and held a long discussion with him regarding legislation regulating public service corporations. Gov. Smith impressed Gov. Davidson as favoring the most stringent legislation along that line. Gov. Smith told the Wisconsin executive that he had a lively fight during the recent session of the legislature to get such legislation enacted as he deemed desirable and efficient for the regulation of corporations.

Gov. Davidson and party met President Roosevelt at Nashville on the return trip, the president being bound from his outing in Louisiana to the White house at Washington.

While in Georgia the members of the Wisconsin G. A. R. in the Wisconsin party pledged themselves, it is understood, to support the movement to have the national encampment in 1909 held at Atlanta.

SPEAK FOR AID OF FEEBLE, OLD JUDGE

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 25.—(Special.)—Joseph Donnelly, United States court commissioner, many-time candidate for congressional honors, and an imitable Irish wit, will deliver the principal address to night at the benefit arranged for Judge Gary, who is blind and destitute. The subject of Mr. Donnelly's address will be "Fits and Misfits." Leading members of the bar have been active in the movement to provide for the aged jurist. Judge Gary was at one time county judge of Winnebago county and is the author of a volume on probate law which is just becoming known as an authentic work.

JAP TO MARRY AMERICAN GIRL

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 25.—An American-Jap alliance will be formed here tonight when Miss Sadie Lynch of Milwaukee becomes the bride of Kametaro Sasamoto, a Chicago Jap. The wedding culminates a romance that had its origin at a Milwaukee amusement resort during the last summer. Sasamoto came here to open a Japanese booth, and Miss Lynch was cashier at one of the amusement enterprises. There was a strong attachment which ripened into deep love, and the wedding tonight will be the result. They will live in Chicago. The groom is reputed to be wealthy.

WOMAN ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF ARSON

DEPERE, Wis., Oct. 25.—Mrs. Philip Sherlock was arrested yesterday on a warrant sworn out by Deputy State Fire Marshal G. H. Kiland, of Manitowoc, charged with setting fire to her house with the intention of defrauding the insurance companies. Mrs. Sherlock was taken before Judge Monahan, of the Green Bay municipal court. Preliminary examination was waived by her attorney, P. H. Martin of Green Bay, and the trial set for Thursday, October 31. She was released on a cash bail of \$500. The defense will be insanity.

Dignity is an invaluable asset to the business woman.

PRISON FOR WOMEN WHO WEAR PLUMES

FEDERATION TO OPEN FIGHT TO SAVE BIRDS

OLD LAW IS DISCOVERED

Assistant Attorney General Titus Cites Statute for Women—Featherless Hat on Way Here

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Oct. 25.—Jails and prisons yawn for the women of Wisconsin, young and old, who delight in headgear crowned with the plumage of native birds, should laws, passed by two legislatures, dug up by Assistant Attorney General A. D. Titus, be enforced.

Not only will the old laws just unearthed sound the death knell of the milliner's latest fall creation, the "water-fall" hat, with its wide sweeping surface literally buried under gorgeous plumes, but modest little felt bonnets, if supporting only a few unassuming plumes or feather ornaments, likewise will under the ban.

Featherless Hat on Way.

That there are women in the state who believe that the song birds of the field and forest should not be sacrificed to the glory of the headgear of their sex—that they are willing to brave the storm that will descend upon them with relentless fury when they open their campaign for the "featherless" hat, was made public yesterday at the afternoon session of the Wisconsin Federation of Women's clubs when Miss Harriett M. Holcombe, chairman of the forestry committee, made her report and incidentally revealed that laws touching on bird protection existed and could be enforced should any persons or society start a campaign against the growing evil.

The subject came up apropos of the suggestion by the Norfolk council that bird protection be made a part of the forestry work undertaken by women's clubs, and that forestry committee and Audubon societies cooperate.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS TO MEET TONIGHT

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Oct. 25.—(Special.)—Knights of Pythias from eastern Wisconsin will gather here tonight to hear Supreme Vice Chancellor H. P. Brown of Texas on insurance topics. Grand Chancellor Richard S. Witte of Milwaukee and Zeno M. Host, manager of the insurance department of the Pythian order, arrived this afternoon with Mr. Brown. This convention is the beginning of a campaign begun by Mr. Witte to extend the order in this state, and it is expected that meetings will be held in the other districts of the state shortly. Supreme officers will be present in each case.

MISTAKE IN NAME; CAUSES GREAT GRIEF

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Oct. 25.—A mistake in the initials given caused two families in this city to think that a man who died in Perham, Minn., belonged to them. The initials given in the telegram were Charles H. Anderson. Two widows living here each had a son at Perham, and each thought it was her son. A dispute arose, and finally representatives of both families went to Perham. The dead man turned out to be Frank B. Anderson, a son of Mrs. A. Anderson of 235 Broadway.

BEAR CHASES HUNTER

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., Oct. 25.—After a race with a large bear in the woods near Hannibal, William Backus of this city, climbed to the roof of a cabin and as the bear was climbing after him he fired two charges from his shot gun, killing the animal instantly. The bear was shipped to this city and weighs 250 pounds. Backus was out hunting partridges when he was suddenly confronted by the bear. He became frightened and took to his heels with bruin following in close pursuit.

STATE IN BRIEF

MARSHFIELD, Wis.—A scrap of flint, believed to have been part of an old musket used by French explorers who navigated the rivers of this section, has been found in excavating for a cellar. It was found ten feet below the surface and much historical value is attached to the discovery.

HARTFORD, Wis.—"Curfew shall not ring tonight," but it will ring on Nov. 1, 1907, and each and every night thereafter until the council rescinds its action to keep boys and girls under 16 off the streets after 8 o'clock at night. Juneau and Mayville have also adopted curfew ordinances.

WHITEWATER, Wis.—Mrs. L. A. Johnson has returned from a visit to Oregon, Dane county, fully cured of rheumatism, from which she suffered for years. Lightning, she says, was the cure. Mrs. Johnson has been badly crippled by the rheumatism. A storm came up and she was called to the door to see a peculiar cloud. Just then there was a flash of lightning, and Mrs. Johnson fell in a faint. When she revived, she found that she could walk with ease, and there is hardly a trace of the disease left.

MENOMONIE, Wis.—Arthur Lien,

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very fine line of Hats—both soft and stiff—We have an entirely new stock of Fall Goods—We did not carry over any of last Winter's Goods—Ours is the popular store with the popular prices. And there isn't a store in the country that appreciates your patronage more than that of

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lams was driving down hill when the tongue came down, causing the horses to run away.

FORT DODGE, Ia.—The example set in other sections of the state has been followed in Blackhawk county, where the farmer boys have formed a corn husking trust and 3 cents a bushel will be paid this year by all owners in order to get their crops gathered, unless outside help is imported. Meetings have been held at county school houses, and the young farmers are well organized. The movement is general through the county, and fully 200 members have pledged themselves.

LITTLE FALLS, Minn.—Messrs. Leavitt and Ringdahl of the state board of control have inspected sites offered by Little Falls and Royalton for an inebriates' hospital. They were met by the joint committees of Little Falls and Royalton. After examining the sites they left for Wadena.

TRIUMPH, Minn.—The organization of an anti-chicken thief association is being agitated. It is estimated that more than \$1,000 worth of poultry has been stolen in Martin county this fall, which probably is a greater sum than the value of the horses stolen in the county in the last ten years.

ST. PETER, Minn.—While cleaning a rifle at his home in New Sweden, Christ Peterson, aged 20 years, shot himself accidentally. The bullet entered his right knee and inflicted a bad wound.

DRUG STORE LID LATEST CREATION

SUPERIOR, Wis., Oct. 25.—Much has been said as to putting the "lid" on a city as far as selling liquor on Sunday goes, and Superior has had some queer experiences with it. But the latest wrinkle is to put the lid on drug stores.

Chief McKinnon of the police department issued an order to the drug store men to stop their selling of alcoholic drinks on Sundays when it was impossible to secure it in the saloons. Complaints were made to the police department that open violations of the law, as well as the Sunday liquor order, were being made by the drug store men, but as no warning had been issued there were no warrants issued. City Attorney McIntosh instructed the chief to notify all druggists that arrests and closing of their places would follow illegal selling of whisky.

The extension thus built on the lid by the order makes it cover everything in the city now.

WOMAN IS ASSAULTED: POSSE AFTER ROBBERS

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 25.—Mrs. Charles Dresen, a widow of 70 years, was attacked by two men in her home at Ashton, twelve miles north of here. The robbers beat her into insensibility and secured \$29. The aged woman is in a critical condition. Sheriff Kittelson and a posse of about fifty farmers are searching the country for the men.

Bill Nye's Cow.

Bill Nye, the humorist, once had a cow to sell and advertised her as follows:

"Owing to my ill health I will sell at my residence, in township nineteen, range eighteen, according to the government's survey, one plump raspberry cow, aged eight years. She is of undoubted courage, and gives milk frequently. To a man who does not fear death in any form she would be a great boon. She is very much attached to her present home with a stay chain, but she will be sold to any one who will agree to treat her right. She is one-fourth short-horn and three-quarter hyena. I will also throw in a double-barrel shotgun, which goes with her. In May she usually goes away for a week or two and returns with a tall red calf with wobbly legs. Her name is Rose. I would rather sell to a non-resident."—Judge's Library.

Parties and Pumps.

The late Francis Murphy, well known as a temperance advocate had many an adventure in the course of his very useful life.

He once told of a case in which a man got a little the better of him in an argument.

The man was a clubman, a generous liver, famous for his wine-cellar; and Mr. Murphy read him a strong lecture on the drink evil.

But the bon vivant only smiled, shook his head, and said:

"Well, Mr. Murphy, I have seen many a pleasant party around a table, but I have never seen one around a pump."—Harper's Weekly.

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For the benefit of those who wish to reduce their flesh quickly and safely, we will give the receipt and directions in full for a simple household remedy that can be obtained at trifling cost from any good drug store: 1/2 ounce Marmola, 1/2 ounce Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic and 3 1/2 ounces Syrup Simplex. All three are cheap and wholesome, but you should take care to get an unbroken package so that you get Marmola and not a substitute. When you get home mix the three together by shaking them together in a large bottle and take one teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

Follow these directions and you will have the best fat reducer that money can buy. It will take off the flesh at the rate of at least two pounds a week without disarranging the stomach or causing wrinkles, while, best of all, no exercising or dieting is required to help it out. You can get results and at the same time take things easy and eat what you like—as much as you like—and whenever you like.

When You Think

—of shoes—think of a pair that will look good and at the same time feel good—

—take a peep at our windows—

—then come in and let us fit you (we fit the foot—not the shoe.)

—you'll be pleased and so will we—

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PASSENGERS ARE SHAKEN UP

Oriental Flyer Escaped Derailment
—Was Going at Slow Speed,
When Discovery Is Made

MOORHEAD, Minn., Oct. 25.—The Oriental limited, the Great Northern coast train which left St. Paul Wednesday morning, was wrecked at this place at 6:30 Wednesday evening.

The engine, mail car, baggage car and smoker had passed over the Eighth street switch when an unknown person was seen to throw the switch, throwing the day coach, colonists' sleeper and front trucks of the dining car from the track.

The train was just pulling out of the depot, so it fortunately had gained little speed and was quickly stopped. Outside of a general shaking up no one was injured. The equipment was badly damaged and the track torn up for a considerable distance, causing several hours delay.

FIVE STORES ROBBED IN MANKATO, MINN.

MANKATO, Minn., Oct. 25.—Tuesday morning five stores at Lake Crystal in this county were burglarized.

Thomas & Jones' hardware store was robbed of six razors and several pairs of scissors; Frank Bartlett's jewelry store of a gold watch, Hammond make, valued at \$37.50, and two gold watch cases; and John Williams' shoe store was robbed of a pair of shoes. All the money in the cash drawer or cash register in these stores, as well as in the saloons of Hans Moe and Joseph Rark, was taken. The exact sum taken at each place is unknown.

Entrance was gained in each case by the rear window, and a screw driver was found by one, the ownership of which is unknown.

And the man in the moon is doubtless forced to practice economy because everything up there is so high.

GOPHER TEACHERS MEET NEXT WEEK

MANKATO, MINN., TO ENTERTAIN
GATHERING

CHICAGO LEADER TO SPEAK

Supt. Cooley to Deliver Address—
Nineteenth Annual Meeting of
the Organization

MANKATO, Minn., Oct. 25.—The program of the nineteenth convention of the Southern Minnesota Teachers' association has just been issued by Miss Emma A. Firestone, secretary. Most of the sessions will be held at the state normal school, in part, the program follows:

Thursday Evening, Oct. 31, at the High School Building—Meeting of city and county superintendents and graded school principals. Supt. C. A. Patchin of Springfield will preside. Topics: "Professional Etiquette," Supt. H. C. Hess, Sleepy Eye; President C. H. Cooper, Mankato; County Superintendent J. B. McCormick, North Mankato; Supt. W. J. Mosher, Redwood Falls. "The Distinction That Ought to Be Made Between Elementary and Advanced Graduates of the Normal School," Supt. J. M. McConnell of Redwood Falls, Supt. V. G. Pickett of Waseca, State Graded School Inspector S. A. Chalmers. General discussion.

Friday Forenoon—Visit to the city school and normal. At 11 o'clock the Automobile club of Mankato will take visitors for a tour of the city.

Friday Afternoon—Addresses by Dean George F. James of the School of Education, University of Minnesota; Supt. S. L. Heeter of St. Paul, State High School Inspector George A. Alton; appointment of committees.

Friday Evening—Address, "Practical Education," Supt. E. G. Cooley, Chicago, Ill.; 9:30 reception at new library of state normal school.

Saturday Forenoon—8:30, business meeting; address, "Thoroughness in Natural History," Prof. Frederick E. Clements, department of botany, University of Minnesota; 10, sectional meetings, mathematics, Supt. H. G. Childs, Slayton; history, Supt. C. J. Timms, Sherburne; rural schools, County Superintendent H. A. Panzram, Waseca; manual training, Supt. F. E. Hamlin, Le Sueur.

FARMS ARE SWEEPED BY PRAIRIE FIRE

BRECKENRIDGE, Minn., Oct. 25.—A prairie fire similar to that which swept the northern part of this county Sunday and Monday, started again five miles north of this city and burned fiercely.

It is estimated that more than a thousand tons of fine hay has been destroyed, and the conflagration, extending east and south rapidly, is endangering many stacks more. Only a light wind prevails and the farmers in the threatened districts are working hard plowing wide fire-breaks which may prevent further loss if the wind does not come up.

The origin of the conflagration was the starting of a small fire by a farmer to make a fire-break. The flames spread to his stacks and soon were out of bounds.

Three farms were swept of all buildings, none of the latter, however, being inhabited.

DROPS DEAD WHILE EATING HIS DINNER

WATERLOO, Ia., Oct. 25.—Sebastian Thiere, aged 75 years, dropped dead at the dinner table in Waterloo Monday noon. He was in his usual health and spirits when he sat down to partake of the victuals, but before he had finished the dinner he expired. Heart trouble is believed to have been the cause. He was born in Germany and came to America in 1852. In the early days of Waterloo he conducted a livery barn and grocery store here.

BRIDE CHANGES MIND AT ALTAR

FORT DODGE, Ia., Oct. 25.—With guests invited, wedding feast prepared and minister ready for the marriage of Miss Ella Thompson, daughter of a prominent farmer who resides on the large farm of Senator Dolliver, and Henry Schlueter, a merchant of Mandal, Saskatchewan, Canada, the bride suddenly turned up missing. Investigation proved that she had gone to her home, and when sought by the groom she refused to be wed. Her only excuse was that she had changed her mind.

Uncertain.

"Doctor, I suppose that cross-grained, grouchy old patient of yours is grumbling now because he can't complain of the heat."

"Well, I really can't say whether he is suffering with the heat or not."

"What! In this raw weather?"

"Oh, then you don't know he's dead."—Baltimore American.

SALOON IS ROBBED IN BROAD DAYLIGHT

RED WING, Minn., Oct. 25.—Two strangers drove up to the Frontenac Cash store, twelve miles south of this city, and after purchasing a quarter's worth of cigars, flashed a \$20 bill on Mr. Santleman, the proprietor, in payment for the cigars. In order to get the men the change, Mr. Santleman had to go to his safe and pull out a \$300 roll. One of the men standing over him as he was making the change, grabbed \$110 of the money and both made their escape. The sheriff is now on the trail of the two men, and it is believed they will be captured.

NORTHWEST BRIEFS

BARNESVILLE, Minn.—The town of Cormorant, which is situated a few miles from Lake Pelican, already is benefiting by the project of the Northwestern Interurban Railway company. J. E. Bakke, a former banker of Lake Park, has arranged to open a bank at Cormorant, and several stores and hotel propositions are under consideration.

ST. CLOUD, Minn.—The people of St. Cloud will taste pure water before the end of the week. Everything is in readiness to pump the water, with the exception of a few minor matters. A large crew of men have been at work at the station for five months, under the direction of Supt. Joseph Wehert.

WINONA, Minn.—The Cottonwood County Agricultural association has lifted the mortgage on its grounds in this city, the last payment of \$848 having just been made.

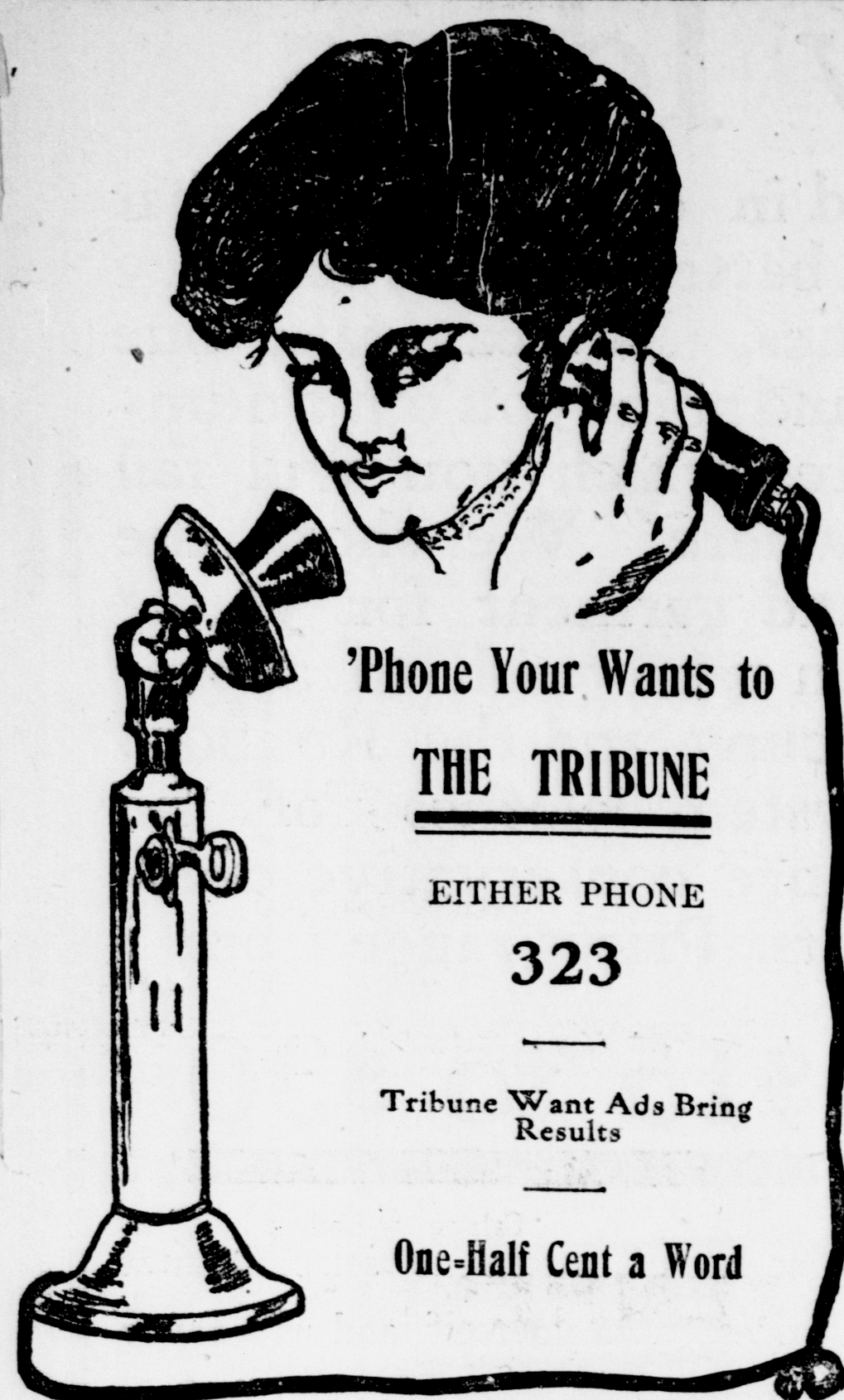
WINONA, Minn.—All the ministers of the Protestant churches of the city united in giving a farewell luncheon to Rev. Dr. C. F. Blume, who leaves the German M. E. church after a pastorate of nine years to become the presiding elder of the Southern Minnesota conference, with headquarters at New Ulm.

BARNESVILLE, Minn.—Great plans are being made at the village of Hawley to celebrate its first "market day," which will be held on Saturday. The main features of the day will be the auction sale to which the farmers are invited to bring in live stock of any description, and which will be sold free of cost.

WATERLOO, Ia.—Waterloo will bid for the meeting of the grand chapter, Order of Eastern Star, for 1908, and prospects are indicative that the next annual convention will be held in this city. The local delegates have been instructed to extend an earnest invitation to the meeting to be held this week at Burlington.

WATERLOO, Ia.—Ezra Williams, a well known citizen of Waverly, aged 77, was almost killed last night in a runaway near his home. Wil-

TRIBUNE WANTS



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Tribune Want Ads Bring
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Help Wanted—Male

Be sure to say "I saw it in The Tribune."

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade, few weeks completes, 60 chairs constantly busy, licensed instructors, tools given, diplomas granted, wages Saturdays, positions waiting, wonderful demand for graduates. Write for catalogue, Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—Boys and girls La Crosse Can company.

WANTED—Men to travel. Call Saturday from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Theo Spillum, 627 South Sixth.

WANTED—Partner with little money to invest in good profitable business; good security for your money; will not interfere with your work. Address, 44, Tribune.

WANTED—Laborers at Michel's Bottling House, Groff & Derr Construction Co.

WANTED—Bright young man who has had some experience in drafting and who can do tracing. An excellent opportunity for the right man. Inquire of Vot-Berger Co.

WANTED—Six steady boys, age 16 and over; six stair builders and ten cabinet makers. Steady employment winter and summer. Segelke & Kohlhaus Mfg. Co.

WANTED—Boys at Pamperlin Cigar Co. 113 South Second.

Help Wanted—Female

Be sure to say "I saw it in The Tribune."

WANTED—Girls, La Crosse Cracker & Candy Co.

WANTED—Girls at Eagle Hotel, 120 South Fifth.

WANTED—Girl for general house work. Apply 923 Cameron ave. Good wages.

WANTED—A competent girl at 130 South Ninth street.

WANTED—Girl at 232 South Eighth street.

WANTED—Girls, Funke Candy Co., 200 North Front street.

For Sale

FOR SALE—The large frame house on Seventh and Vine. Also the little brick at 625 Vine. Enquire at 627 Vine.

FOR SALE—Two modern houses, 8 and 9 rooms, with large barns; will sell cheap. Enquire 1312 Caldonia.

FOR SALE—A davenport, 1421 Vine.

FOR SALE—Small laundry, heater and folding bed. Inquire at 424 Badger street.

FOR SALE—A square piano in good condition, at \$25. 1102 South Fourth.

FOR SALE—Confectionery and tobacco store; rent \$8 a month; good location. Inquire 1109 South Eighth street.

For Rent

Be sure to say "I saw it in The Tribune."

FOR RENT—Eight room modern house, conveniently located. Apply 137 South Eleventh street, new phone 693-C.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms; city heat. 122 South Seventh street.

FOR RENT—Desirable unfurnished modern rooms. Address M. Tribune.

FOR RENT—Eight room modern house. Apply J. G. Jaekel, 1100 South Sixth street. Both phones.

FOR RENT—House at 326 North Sixth. Phone 534M.

FOR RENT—Rooms with or without board. 929 South Sixth.

DAILY MARKETS

PRICE OF HOGS GOES DOWN TODAY

OVERSUPPLY AND EFFECT OF CHICAGO PRICES CAUSE

BUTTER AND EGGS ALSO DROP

Creamery Down to 29 Cents and Eggs Go Down 2 Cents; Grape Fruit Is on Local Market

The price of hogs took a big drop today, caused by the over supply on the market and the prices in Chicago. The prices dropped from \$5.35 to \$5.00 down to \$5.00 and \$5.50 per hundred.

Creamery butter dropped 3 cents today and is now selling at 29 cents per pound while eggs dropped 2 cents per dozen, wholesale and are now selling at 18 and 21c per dozen, caused by the competitive market in the city.

The first grape fruit was seen on the local market today and is selling at 12½c each.

FRIDAY, OCT. 25, 1907.

Butter and Eggs (Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery, per pound 29c
Dairy, per pound 28c
Eggs, per dozen 18c
Eggs, on track, case \$5.55

(Prices by A. & S. Sons)

Patent, per barrel \$6.00
Straight, per barrel \$5.80

Flour.

Shorts, per ton \$28.00
Bran, per ton \$26.00
White middlings, per ton \$30.00
Red dog, per ton \$31.00
Ground feed, ton \$30.00

(Quoted by W. W. Carroll Co.)

Winter wheat 90¢
Spring wheat 90¢
Barley 45¢
Oats 45¢
Corn 60¢
Rye 70¢

(By Langdon & Sons)

Hogs \$5.00
Cattle \$4.00
Sheep \$3.00
Lamb \$4.00

(Quoted by A. & S. Sons)

Blue Point Oysters, qt. 45c
Eggs, strictly fresh, dozen 25c
Creamery, per pound 29c
New cabbage, each 15c
Sweet potatoes, lb. 15c
Carrots, peck 15c
Wax beans, lb. 15c
Beets, peck 20c
Cucumbers, each 10c
Radishes, 2 bunches for 5c
Green onions, 2 bunches for 5c
Lettuce, 2 bunches for 5c
Rutabagas, pk. 20c
Hubbard squash 10c
Cauliflower, each 10c
Pears, doz 40c
Green peppers, dozen 15c
Turnips, peck 15c
Grape fruit, each 12c

(Quoted by H. M. Steger.)

Pickled pears, peck 75c
Quince, peck 75c
Concord grapes, basket 35c
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CHI. MARKETS

Chicago Delivery.

Open. High. Low. Close.

WHEAT.

July 101 1/4 101 1/4 100 1/4 100 1/4
Dec. 100 100 98 1/2 99 1/4
May 107 107 106 106 1/4

CORN.

July 59 1/2 59 1/2 58 1/2 58 1/2
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OATS.

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May 53 1/2 53 1/2 53 1/2 53 1/2

PORK.

Jan. 14.87

Minneapolis Delivery.

WHEAT.

Dec. 106 1/4 106 1/4 103 1/4 105 1/4
May 111 1/2 112 1/2 111 1/2 111 1/2

Liverpool Markets.

Wheat—52 cars.
Corn—277 cars.
Oats—275 cars.

Northwestern Receipts.

Today. Last year.

Minneapolis 291 236
Duluth 196

Chicago Live Stock.

Hogs—Receipts, 13,000; 5c lower.
Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; slow and weak.
Sheep—Receipts, 4,000; weak.

LIKE HUMAN CORKS.

How the Water in Great Salt Lake Treats the Bathers.

Bathing in Great Salt Lake Is a Unique Experience.

Flights of steps lead down into the water from the interminable platform along which the bathhouses are situated. The water is quite shallow at first, and you find a rare enjoyment for a time in wriggling your toes about in the salt that forms the bottom in place of accustomed sand. You are obliged to wade out some distance before you experience the peculiar buoyancy of the lake. First you feel your feet trying to swim out from under you. You find it more and more difficult to walk. You begin to float in spite of yourself. Then you realize you are non-sinkable. You can't sink if you want to. Throw yourself on your back or sit down or try to swim, and you bob about like a rocking chair in a freshet. You feel as though you had been turned to cork. You can't help looking at the phenomenon subjectively. You don't see that there is anything peculiar about the water. It looks and feels like any other bathing water—until you get some of it in your eyes or in your mouth. Then you wish you hadn't come. Ocean water is sweet in comparison. In fact, the chemists tell us it is eight times less salty.

You can't drown in the lake by sinking, but you can be suffocated to death, which is just about as uncomfortable and undesirable. We found signs everywhere warning us against being too talkative or too frolicsome in the water.

When we came out we brought with us large deposits of salt on our skin. As the water evaporated we found ourselves covered with white crystals. Only a strong shower bath of fresh water or a good clothes brush can put you into fit condition to dress—Travel Magazine.

Weighting a Horse's Stern.

Some of the officers and men of a vessel once anchored in the harbor of Funchal, Madeira, went ashore for a horseback ride around the island. About halfway up the mountain we came across a little mizen-topman, flushed and evidently very warm, riding a spirited little horse with a stone tied up in a silk handkerchief slung to his tail.

The first lieutenant laughed and said, "What are you doing with that handkerchief, Brown?"

"Why, you see, sir," said Brown, "that when I first hitched her up she pitched badly, being too much by the head, so I just rigged this stone on aft and brought her down to her bearings, and she sails now like a clipper, sir."

"On a Man-of-war."

What He Had to Say.

"Well, George, do you know it is 1 o'clock? What have you to say for yourself?"

"I did have a-s-somethin' to say, my dear, but you've gone an' scared it out of my head. Oh, I remember it now."

"Well, what is it?"

"Good night."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Family Jar.

"The body of the late Major Jinks was cremated."

"What they goin' to do with it?"

"His widow has him corked up in a fruit jar. Says it's the last of the family jars."—Atlanta Constitution.

Steve Adams Trial Called.

RATHDRUM, Idaho, Oct. 25.—The case of Steve Adams, charged with the murder of Fred Tyler, was called today, but as another case was on trial the Adams case was adjourned until tomorrow. Clarence Darrow of Chicago, who is expected to take charge of the defense, has not arrived, but is expected Friday or Saturday.

Men are at work today repairing the tracks at the Mill street crossing.

GOVERNMENT WORK AT ALMA DONE

Work on the government improvements at Alma is about completed and the fleet has departed for down river points, to do some odd jobs, where they are most needed. As a result of the work done at Alma, in recent years, the bar at the mouth of Beef Slough has been removed and the channel is in first class shape from Alma to Tipotea point stretch that used to cause rivermen considerable bother. West Newton Slough has been completely dammed up and prospects are that branch of the river will eventually be sanded over. Twelve new dams were built and twelve old ones were repaired. In this number are included the so-called jetties, but a few regular dams were also built. The work consumed 27,000 cubic yards of rock and 35,000 cubic yards of brush. Of the rock used, about 12,000 cubic yards came from Harry's quarry and the rest was brought from down river points. The work was in charge of Major Riche, with Capt. DuShane in direct charge there.

TOGA FOR ROOSEVELT AS BACKER OF TAFT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—If Secretary of War Taft or a man of the Roosevelt type be elected president next fall, President Roosevelt may under certain conditions go before the New York legislature in 1909 as a candidate to succeed Thomas C. Platt in the United States senate, with the idea of leading the support of administration policies in the upper branch of congress. This exceedingly interesting information has come to close friends of the president since the latter's return from his western and southern trip.

If Secretary Taft or somebody of the same recognized type be not elected President Mr. Roosevelt will under no circumstances seek a seat in the senate, for the reason that he would not be in a position to give hearty support to the administration.

BENTLEY RETURNS FROM HIS TRIP

Secretary A. Bentley of the La Crosse Board of Trade has returned from his business visit of several days during which he stopped at Madison City, La., and also at Chicago to inspect the machinery for the Egg Carton company's plant. The machinery had not been quite completed and will be delayed so that the factory in the former La Crosse engraving plant at 118 Main street, will not be in operation until about two weeks later than at first expected.

The secretary will call a meeting of the board of directors some time next week and will submit several propositions to them.

An appropriation is necessary for handling them and this will come before the directors at that meeting.

Power of the Waves.

The power of waves, says M. Brounin in La Nature, is the sum of two efforts, one dynamic and due to the orbital movement of the water particles, the other static and dependent on the height of the center of gravity of the mass raised above its normal position. Theory and observation seem to show that the total power of waves is divided equally between these static and dynamic effects. If a body of water meets the wall of a structure there is a shock, and this is most violent at the water surface, diminishing with the depth. At the moment of meeting jets of water rise sometimes to very great heights.

His System.

Shippin Clark is his employer, leaving the office—Oh, Mr. System, haven't you forgotten your umbrella? It's raining. Mr. System—Can't help it. I have made a resolution to have one here and one at home to provide for all emergencies. Now, if I take this one they'll both be at home.—London Tit-Bits.

Force of Habit.

Mr. Easy—Cheer up, Mr. Peck. If we must go down let's go cheerfully like men. Mr. Peck—But, hang it all, Mr. Easy, if I don't get home my wife will never let me go fishing again, never!—Harper's Weekly.

Napoleon.

There is no doubt Napoleon fell through the sheer dizziness of the height he had climbed to. "The Duc de Raguse," says the Comtesse de Boigne, "once explained to me the nature of his connection with the emperor in a phrase which is more or less applicable to the whole nation. 'When Napoleon said, "All for France," I served with enthusiasm. When he said, "France and I," I served with zeal. When he said, "I and France," I served with obedience. When he said "I" without France, I felt the necessity of parting from him."—T. P.'s London Weekly.

A Night on the Sleeper.

"Have you ever traveled in a sleeping car, Uncle Jasper?"

"Yes, once. But I didn't sleep any."

"What was the trouble?"

"You see, I'd just greased my boots, and I'd heard that about them porters always takin' people's shoes out and blackin' 'em, so I had to keep awake all night so he wouldn't get a hold on mine. fer I knew if he done it he'd want extra on account of the hard job. Blamed if I can see why the company allows them kind of things to go on."—Chicago Record-Herald.

It Is Queer.

Little Boy—Isn't fathers queer? Auntie—In what way? Little Boy—When a boy does anything for his pa, he doesn't get anything, but if another man's boy does it he gets a nickel.

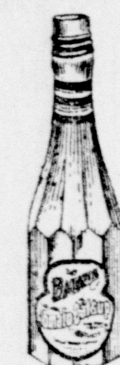
DAVIS SAYS HE WILL MANAGE SOX

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 25.—Geo. Davis returned to the east several days ago and is going to take a baseball team to Cuba for a three weeks' trip. He told a friend in this city that next year he would return to Chicago as manager of the white Sox. About two months ago it was reported that George Davis would succeed Clark Griffith as manager of the New York Americans, but it is more than likely that Griffith will again be in command of the highlanders.

During the past week a report came from New York that Owner Farrell was dickering with Manager Mack to secure Harry Davis for manager. When seen about the matter H. Davis said he had heard nothing about it, and

DOERFLINGER'SEVERYTHING GOOD TO EAT AT LOWEST PRICES
SATURDAY PURE GROCERY OFFERS**BEECH-NUT JELLY**

Assorted kinds, regular price 25c, Saturday at the jar 16c

SUGAR Best granulated Cane Saturday
10 Pounds for 50c**FELS-NAPHA SOAP SATURDAY**
6 BARS FOR 25c**SWEET POTATOES, FANCY VIRGINIA, 7 POUNDS FOR 23c.****FANCY JERSEY 6 POUNDS FOR 25c.****LEAF LETTUCE, 2 BUNCHES FOR 5c.****FANCY WAX BEANS, 10c THE POUND****NEW COCOANUTS, EACH AT ONLY 7 1/2c.****FANCY GREEN PEPPERS, LARGE SIZE, 6 FOR 3c.****FANCY TABLE SYRUP, 10 LB. CAN FOR 32c.****OLIVE OIL—Home brand, finest imported French oil, 9 oz. bottles, Saturday priced at only 39c****JELLY—Bengal brand pure fruit and sugar Jelly, 8 oz. jars, regular price 15 cents, Saturday 2 for 25c****USE THE BEST FLOUR****USE GOLD MEDAL FLOUR****BATAVIA****OLIVE SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY.**
Mammoth Queen, 32 oz. Bottle for 85c
Mammoth Queen, 20 oz. Bottle, for 62c
Mammoth Queen, 16 oz. Bottle, for 45c
Manzanilla Stuffed, 18 oz. Bottle 39c
Manzanilla Stuffed, 12 oz. Bottle 23c

Batavia Brand Catsup, pint bottles, priced at23c

Batavia Brand Sugar Corn, Saturday 2 cans for ...25c

Royal Peanut Butter, regular 15c jar for13c

COFFEE—White House coffee, one and two pound cans, riced at the pound can only 23c**SYRUP—Maple Syrup, Home brand, pure sap, Saturday priced at the quart only 45c****AMUSING INCIDENT OF I. C. FIGHT****HARRIMAN AND FISH BOTH AFTER PRESIDENT****BANKER KEEPS BUSY DODGING**

Chicago's Great Stock Show Brings a Cool Million's Worth of Business to the Windy City.

(Special Correspondent.)
CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—In the midst of the dramatic Fish-Harriman contest here for control of the Illinois Presidency of Central, soon after the name of John J. Mitchell, president of the Illinois Trust & Savings bank, was mentioned as Harriman's choice for director to succeed Fish—if Fish were ousted—both the leaders disappeared. They both were discovered at Mr. Mitchell's bank. Mr. Fish stepped out of an ante-room. "Have you been conferring with Mr. Harriman?" he was asked. "Is Mr. Harriman here?" he responded in surprise. "Why, no, I've just been calling on Mr. Mitchell, who is an old friend of mine." He was glum, and vanished. Then Mr. Harriman appeared, to telephone to President Harahan. "O, my," he said, with a grin, "if here isn't a reporter." As he seemed amiable, calm and collected, he was asked what the conferences were all about. "Has Mr. Fish been in conference with you here?" "Mr. Fish here?" he asked in astonishment. "Why, no, I haven't seen Mr. Fish." Then it transpired that Mr. Fish and Mr. Harriman unwittingly had been playing a game of "hide-and-seek" in the big bank, and that Mr. Mitchell was "it." It is said Mr. Mitchell kept dodging between his private office and the directors' room, first "spying" one and then the other.

"The world's foster mother, the cow"—to quote the phrase of the epigrammatic ex-governor of Wisconsin, its Valued at W. D. Hoard, was a Million. W. D. Hoard, was national dairy show in her true, stupendous proportions. The show did much to exhibit the hundreds of millions of dollars which the cow adds annually to the wealth of the states adjacent to Chicago, the world's principal market for dairy products. The 600 bovine delegates to the show were valued at a cool, dewy million, and the exhibits showed how much progress has been made in the antiseptic cleanliness which is the rule in the handling of milk and milk products by the biggest companies. There were hundreds of anxious inquiries made as to how milk for babies is safe-guarded; one big concern at least, explained the inspection system and the enforcement of rules requiring healthy cows, cement-floored stables, careful milking and sterilizing of milk bottles. There has been so much trouble in Chicago about a supply of pure milk that the show did much to bring out the differences in quality that can be the result of approved methods of today in contrast to the happy-go-lucky dairying of the other days, with its flies and germs and all.

Society has again been set by its ears—this time over the big charity event of the coming winter, which will to eclipse the "Village Fair" and extravagant "Streets of Paris" fete of last season. Mrs. William J. Chalmers, wife of the vice president of the \$50,000,000 Allis-Chalmers corporation, secretly planned the entertainment to raise a fund as a memorial to the late James H. Eckels, former president of one of the big banks here and at one time controller of the currency under President Cleveland. Mrs. Chalmers once entertained Mr. Cleveland and she naturally wished to have her entertainment managed by members of the most exclusive set in Chicago. But some of her friends began to mention her plans—"all in the strictest confidence, my dear." Promptly a score of people who were interested in Mr. Eckels' charity, a home for crippled children, volunteered their services, and a newspaper printed the names of some of them on a list of patronesses of the event. Almost as promptly the society friends of Mrs. Chalmers informed her that they would withdraw. The next day the volunteers were curtly told that their services were not desired. Now the North Side is divided into two camps and a heated debate is going on as to Who is Who and Who is not Who in Chicago society. All of which is highly diverting to the 2,335,000 inhabitants of the city whose names are not in the Blue Book.

last year by about \$4,320,000.

Women of the W. C. T. U. of Chicago will invade a new field soon—the promoting of an exposition. It has been decided to hold one to offset the allurements of a "national pure beverage exposition" which is to be held here next February, with exhibits of all the "wet goods" that the teetotalers deplore, from casks of beer to pyramids of bottled rum. The W. C. T. U. workers have hired a church next to the exposition building and will distribute temperance tracts at the door of the "wet goods" show, such stacks of them about the carnage wrought by the beers, wines, whiskeys and creme de menthes next door, that the women hope the sum total of the pure beverage show shall be a gain for the prohibition cause. Preparations are being made to have more music, more fascinating girl attendants and prettier decorations than the bigger event backed by the big brewing and distilling interests—which will be "going some." And to those who enter the W. C. T. U. bazaar will be given literature arrainging the liquor traffic in statistics. What, if anything, will be substituted to tickle the palate has not been decided, but "soft drinks" will be used to turn away wrath, that of the "demon rum."

Two and a quarter billions of dollars—that is what it would cost to buy the city of Chicago—is worth Chicago, if a purchaser could be found. At least those are the figures just announced by the board of review, which has been revising the estimates of taxable real estate and personal property in Cook county. The total figure for the county is \$2,375,078,435, or enough, if divided up, to give every man, woman and child in the United States twenty-eight dollars. No disposition has been shown so far, however, on the part of Chicago property owners to dispose of their holdings in this fashion. On the contrary, they have spent many valuable days in protesting at the increase in the taxes, which will be greater than those of

When Ben and Jesse Holladay were running the famous "pony express" and a stage line across the plains to the gold fields of California, no one would have guessed that both would die "in their beds" and rich men. Ben Holladay died years ago, but Jesse Holladay, 82 years old and rich in Chicago real estate, lived until last week. For years he has been considered an authority on values of real estate in this city. After the building of the Union Pacific and the decline of the picturesque stage lines and primitive "fast mail routes," the brothers started and for years owned another kind of transportation line, steamships from Frisco to Honolulu. The romance and the heroics of the page of American history created by the Holladay brothers will hold living interest for generations to come; for those two men defied nature, the Indians, highwaymen and time. For years one adventure followed another, the pick of daring men rode the ponies or drove the swiftest stages over the Santa Fe trail and it was the indomitable courage of the Holladays that made this possible.

Interest among Chicago's city hall statesmen, now centered upon the Illinois Tunnel company's burrowings New Heat and other underground operations, has caused scrutiny of a company which recently made its typewritten bow to the public. This company modestly announced that it would banish the smoke nuisance by supplying heat and power and refrigeration for Chicago. Rosy pictures were drawn of a millennial future when you'd push the buttons and get at will 80 degrees or zero Fahrenheit or the power to turn the dentist's buzzer. The real back-

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MORE RESIDENCES TO BE FIREPROOF**LA CROSSE CONTRACTORS IN FAVOR OF SYSTEM.****DWELLINGS ARE MUCH SAFER**

Lumber Prices Have Advanced So Here That Fireproof Buildings are Cheaper Than Wood

It is predicted that from now on there will be more fireproof residences erected in La Crosse. Up to the present time they have been the exception rather than the rule, nearly all of the houses being made of wood. This has been but natural in view of the comparatively low price at which it has been possible to purchase wood here up to recent years. The recent advances in lumber, however, have brought the cost of wood dwellings to the point where they are nearly as expensive as the brick or concrete structure. A recent writer in urging the construction of buildings of the fire-resisting materials in preference to wood urges insurance discrimination to encourage the use of the fireproof materials. He says in part:

Wood has been another course of the country. It is almost a blessing in disguise that our forests are well-nigh devastated by our extravagant ruthlessness, because even to the most obtuse it must be evident that the use of wood is no longer economy. A building of steel frame and hollow fireproofing tile, or of structural reinforced concrete protected from fire by tile, costs but a fraction over ten per cent more in the first cost than does the usual frame of wood with wooden joists and studs. The life of such framing is infinitely longer than the old wood affair, the cost of maintenance is less, so is the insurance rate, and, all in all, in a very few years' time, good construction not only means safety, but an actual economy. The enclosing of stairways and elevator walls, the protection of windows and skylights with wired glass, the making of a building fireproof in design

costs nothing more in money than the cheap firetraps, but is merely the expenditure of a little intelligence on the part of the architect.

It has been the assumption that a real estate improver, as a sane business man, should be able to perceive how much it was to his own ultimate advantage to build an indestructible building. The true theory is that incombustible buildings must be built. It is really immaterial to the taxpayer whether an individual elects to let his building be destroyed by fire, but it is of very real interest to the public that the lives and property of other people shall not be jeopardized and destroyed to substitute unburnable for burnable buildings with the shortest delay possible, since a conflagration may occur any day, and the process can be better accomplished by coaxing than by compulsion.

The one thing for municipalities to do is to arrange the taxation of property in accordance with the latter's permanency and indestructibility. A fixed rate on ground values and a sliding rate on buildings, the minimum on fireproof buildings and the maximum on fire-traps, would be perfectly equitable to all. It would put the burden of paying for the maintenance of fire departments upon those who needed the service, and would mean a lessened load of taxes on those who are public-spirited as well as businesslike enough to build so as not to require such service. It is the one sane municipal solution of the problem, the one way of extracting ourselves from under the yoke of the insurance companies; the surest means of stopping the ravages of the great red plague—fire.

1,000 ARE KILLED BY AN EARTHQUAKE

ROME, Oct. 25.—Latest reports from Calabria increase rather than decrease the magnitude of the earthquake horror.

It is now estimated that the number of dead in the district may reach 1,000.

Whole towns have been wiped out, and there is ruin and suffering everywhere in the affected area. Communication with many sections is impossible.

Already over 200 bodies have been taken out of the ruins and every hour brings scores more to light. The scenes in the devastated district are awful.

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LABELS MUST MEET WITH REQUIREMENTS

Local dealers have been advised that henceforth all food and drug labels without exception must meet the full requirements of the regulations. This is declared in no uncertain terms by the board of food and drug inspection. Many business interests, particularly wholesale and retail grocers and jobbers, have tried to avoid full compliance with the regulations. They took heart somewhat from a previous ruling, by which they were allowed to use labels printed on or before October 16, 1906, even if those labels did not fully comply with the regulations. The only requirement was that those labels should contain no actual misstatement about the character of the contents, and that they should not be used under an circumstances later than Oct. 1, 1907.

The grocers asked the board that this same privilege be extended to Oct. 1, 1908, but their request has been refused. The board is desirous that only originally printed labels be used, but if old labels are used at all, they must now be corrected, by stickers or erasures, to comply with the regulations. The board will not be satisfied to have a misstatement appear in one place, and a correction in another. The misstatement must be entirely obliterated.

Father—Where's your gold watch? The Sophomore—The dickens! I must have left it in the coat I sent out today. Father—Oh, I see. Pawned both of 'em?—Megendorfer Blaetter.



Uncle—Good little man! You always do as your father tells you? Young Hopeful—Not much! I'd get whacked by mummy if I did.

Words are all right when backed by brains.